

## Useless Haiku

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Useless! useless!  
—heavy rain driving  
into the sea

--Jack Kerouac

Useless! useless!  
—wild tornado twisting  
in the desert

Useless! useless!  
—meteorite passing  
earth by

Useless! useless!  
—drought coming  
over the desert

Useless! useless!  
—lightning hitting  
a volcano

Useless! useless!  
—monoxide filling  
an empty car

Useless! useless!  
—heavy brick hitting  
the window sill

Useless! useless!  
monstrous rage you can't  
kill your boss

Useless! useless!  
—arrogance towards  
a billionaire

Useless! useless!  
—class awareness we're  
all in this together

Useless! useless!  
—Occupy Wallstreet occupying  
Zuccotti park

Useless! useless!  
—snide comment nightstick  
in your face

Useless! useless!  
—disobedience you get brought  
downtown

Useless! useless!  
—hanging rope his  
feet touch the ground

Useless! useless!  
—death penalty the victims  
all stay dead

Useless! useless!  
—assassination 9/11  
already happened

Useless! useless!  
—happy dream you are  
not reality

Useless! useless!  
—people making  
an open mic

Useless! useless!  
—people performing  
at it

Useless! useless!  
—butterfly resting  
on the blind man's cane

Useless! useless!  
—Jack Kerouac holding  
on to his bottle