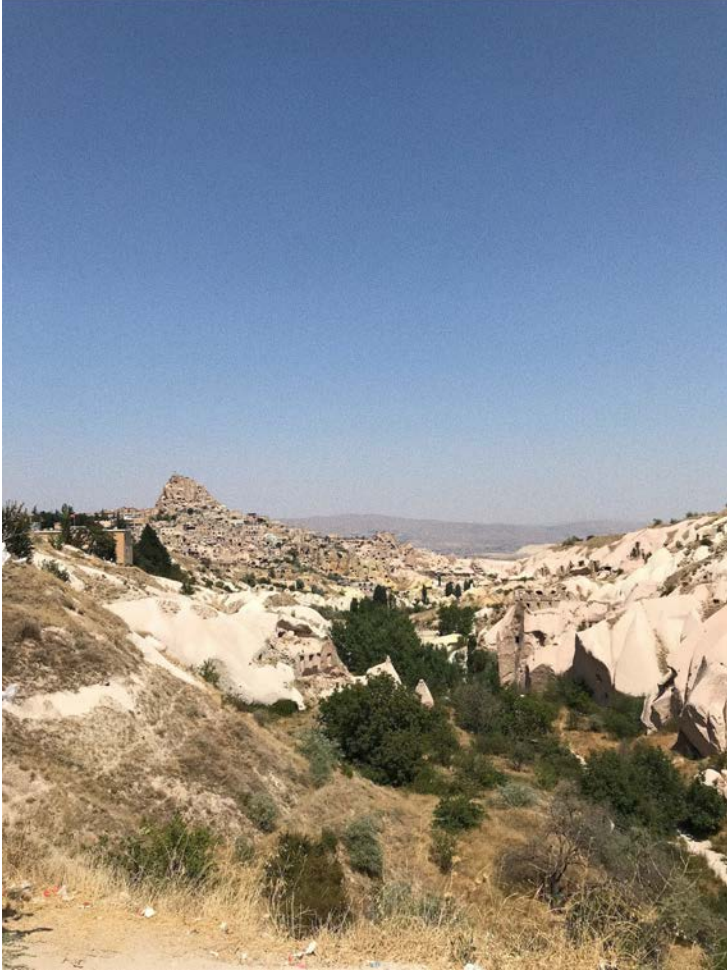


PART 1: EKPHRASIS

WORKING TITLE: An attempt to make sense of the muddled, and muddle what makes sense



beckoned by the heat
we tango
to the silence
you cloak me
with a gentle stillness
drifting, laughing
I hand you my heart
you who harbors treasures
bury it for me, will you?
in your outstretched waves
where time ceases meaning
unconquerable
where nothingness and entrapment meet
for a sweet embrace
a kiss
a sacred refuge
as you wait
for my return

Approach: "Come At a Tangent," "Of Yourself," and "Make Objects Speak"

It had existed as a phrase for some time, but it wasn't until two black men died in the summer of 2014, when Michael Brown and Eric Garner died in encounters with police officers, that the phrase "Black Lives Matter" would define a movement, in social media and roaring conversations. The roots of the phrase are common to a movement, in social media and roaring conversations. The roots of the phrase are common to a movement, in social media and roaring conversations. The roots of the phrase are common to a movement, in social media and roaring conversations.


2013 Facebook post by Alicia Garza, a California-based activist, but it appeared in the Twitter hashtag #BlackLivesMatter only in fits and starts over the course of the following year, according to a Center for Communications Programs analysis on race and social media released this month. The hashtag had a small, but growing, use in the summer of 2014, when Michael Brown and Eric Garner died in encounters with police officers, that the phrase "Black Lives Matter" would define a movement, in social media and roaring conversations. The roots of the phrase are common to a movement, in social media and roaring conversations. The roots of the phrase are common to a movement, in social media and roaring conversations.

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grown around a brand-new space that appears to have laid a new path for a national debate. Black Lives Matter and Blue Lives Matter are two examples of a White Lives Matter symbols outside the city of La. In the report of the White House, Hitlin, retraced the path from the 12, 2013, to March 2014, but at a small fraction of the social analytics seen in the case of Mr. Brown on August 9, 2014. A 12-year-old Tamir Rice's daily mentions of "Black Lives Matter" soared even higher than the chokehold led to the death of 160,810 times the #BlackLivesMatter mentions. In the time of the shooting, it was mentioned 127,000 times on Twitter. It defended the movement, the team behind the men were separated, and B. Sterling was fatally shot under 10,000 times in Minnesota and the attack on Dallas was mentioned 160,810 times on Twitter. #AllLivesMatter a

entire earlier thousand-day study period. The number of mentions for both hashtags remained leading up to July 17, when three more officers were fatally shot in Baton Rouge. The July 17 shooting was notable not only for the level of discussion around the hashtag, but also for how the tone of the conversation changed, according to Pew. Over the course of the 1,000-day study period, 38 percent of #BlackLivesMatter mentions were positive, compared with 11 percent negative, according to a Pew sentiment analysis. The phrase was used neutrally 12 percent of the time. (The remaining references fell into an "other" category, leading up to the Dallas shooting, the tone was even more supportive, 87 percent of



The screenshot shows a Twitter thread on a mobile device. The user is 'titi z' with 4,063 tweets. The thread contains four tweets from the user, all dated 7/8/16. The tweets are:

- Tweet 1: "@ people who consume black culture religiously: WHERE Y'ALL AT? Y'ALL LOST???? It got oddly quiet after those gunshots were fired" (5 likes)
- Tweet 2: "How many times must we chant 'Black Lives Matter' for people to understand? Would power points help? Perhaps brochures? Bookmarks even?" (6 likes)
- Tweet 3: "My heart goes out to my black brothers who are subject to all this senseless killing" (5 likes)
- Tweet 4: "You Retweeted" (5 likes)

Below the tweets is a tweet from user 'Tia' (@Nikesx) dated 7/6/16: "Meanwhile they killin black men but got". The bottom of the screen shows the Twitter navigation bar with icons for home, search, notifications, and messages.

PART 2: Reverse EKPHRASIS

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