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A grisly hand raised to the sky
  In awful supplication,
Weaving dreams of elder worlds
  With rhythmic incantation.
Spectral fingers clutched in vain
  At entities unbounded;
Where star-spawn swirl in endless night
  Through spaces yet unsounded.
Weak limbs rise and sway and fall
  Upon a lifeless planet,
And strive with fruitless straining arms
  To reach the void and span it.
The hand is graven in the earth,
  In mould that never darkens
Save when it wrenches free its hold,
  Or to the west wind harkens.
It flaps about and stretches up
  Into the cloudy distance,
But cannot reach those nitemare realms
  Without a ghoul’s assistance.
And yet at last it soared indeed,
  All stars and worlds eluding---
This thing men thought a windtornweed
  Through too long weeks of brooding