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1. Main Entrance Arbor Garden

William Blake (England, 1757 - 1827),
from "Auguries of Innocence"



2. Flamingo Café Garden

Wendell Berry, (USA, b. 1934),
from *The Selected Poems of Wendell Berry*



3. Animal Health Center Learning Zone

Genesis, King James Translation



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4. Seasonal Poem - Changes



5. Flamingo Exhibit

Gray Jacobik (USA, b. 1944),
from "Flamingos"



6. Aviary Free Flight Exhibit

Li-Young Lee (Indonesia, b. 1975),
from "Praise Them"



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7. Pheasantry Walk

Wendell Berry (USA, b. 1934),
from "Prayers and Sayings of the
Mad Farmer"



8. Pheasantry Tree

Micheal Glaser (USA, b. 1943),
from "The Presence of Trees"



9. Aviary Upper Pond

Eamon Grennan (Ireland, b. 1941),
from "What Matter"



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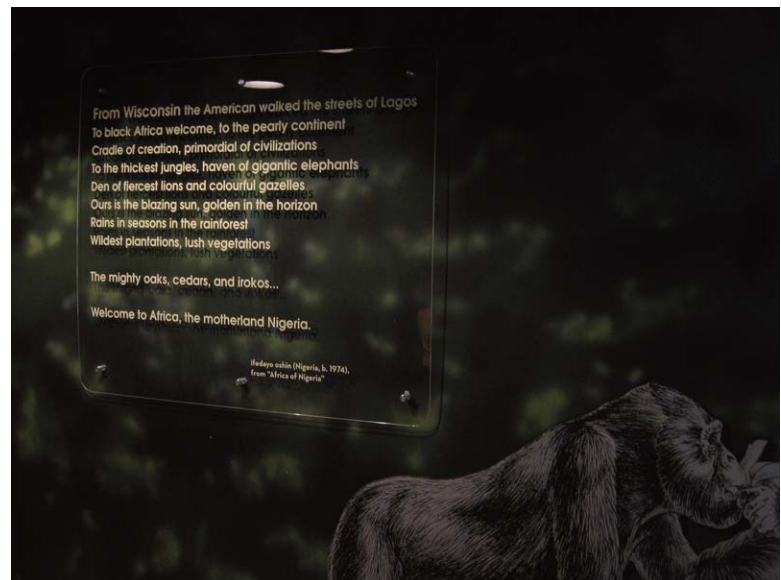
10. Peck Boardwalk

Anonymous, Navajo Indian
from "In Beauty May I Walk"



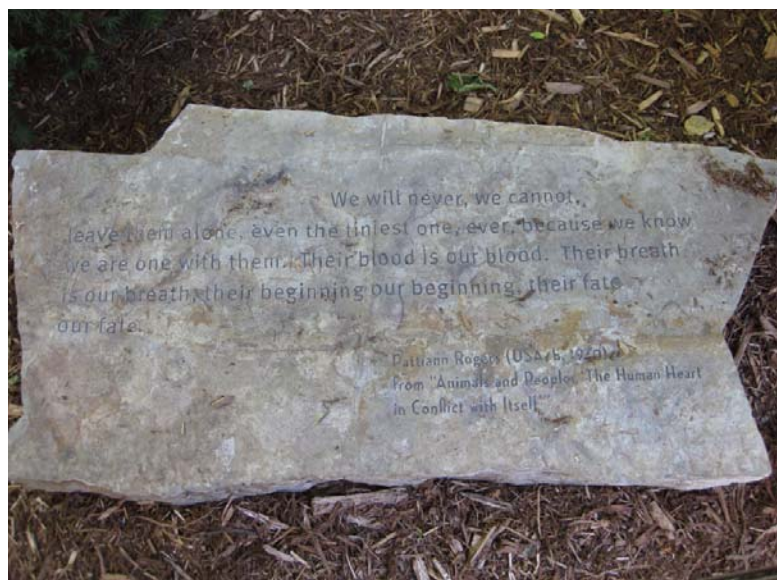
11. Gorilla Nook

ifedayo oshin (Ondo Kingdom, Nigeria,
b. 1974),
from "Africa of Nigeria"



12. Spider Monkey Outdoor Exhibit

Pattiann Rogers (USA, b. 1940),
from "Animals and People: 'The
Human Heart in Conflict with Itself'"



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13. Orangutan Exhibit

May Swenson (USA, 1913 - 1989),
from "Motherhood"



14. Aquatic and Reptile Center Garden

William Wordsworth (England, 1770 - 1850),
from "She Dwelt Among the Untrodden
Ways"



15. Aquatic and Reptile Center Globe

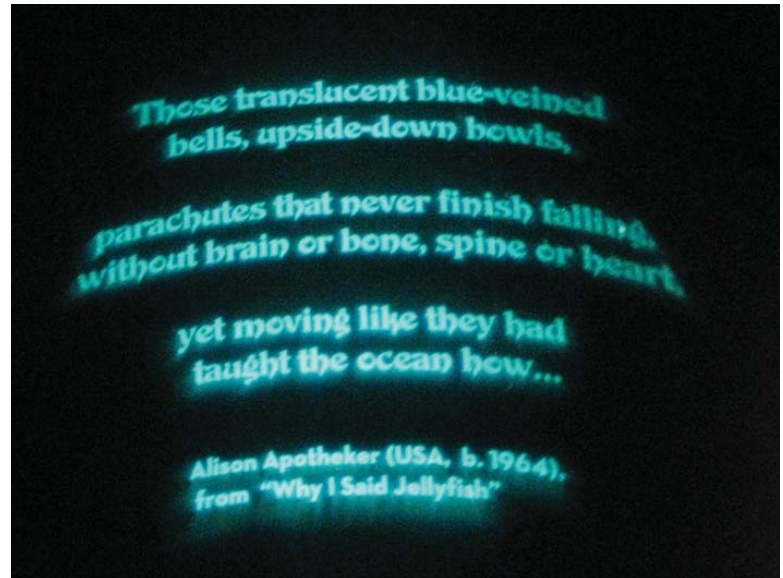
Lucille Clifton (USA, b. 1936),
from "Breaklight"



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16. Jellies Exhibit

Alison Apotheker (USA, b. 1964),
from "Why I Said Jellyfish"



17. Anaconda Exhibit

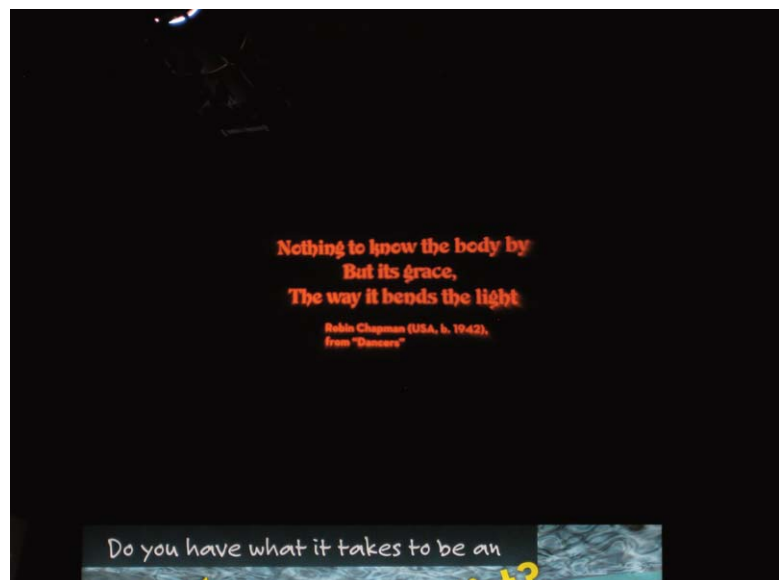
Pablo Neruda (Chile, 1904 - 1973),
from "Some Beasts"
translated by Anthony Kerrigan



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18. Cichlids

Robin Chapman (USA, b. 1942),
from "Dancers"



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19. Path in front of Aquatic and Reptile Center

David Wagoner (USA, b. 1926),
from "Lost"



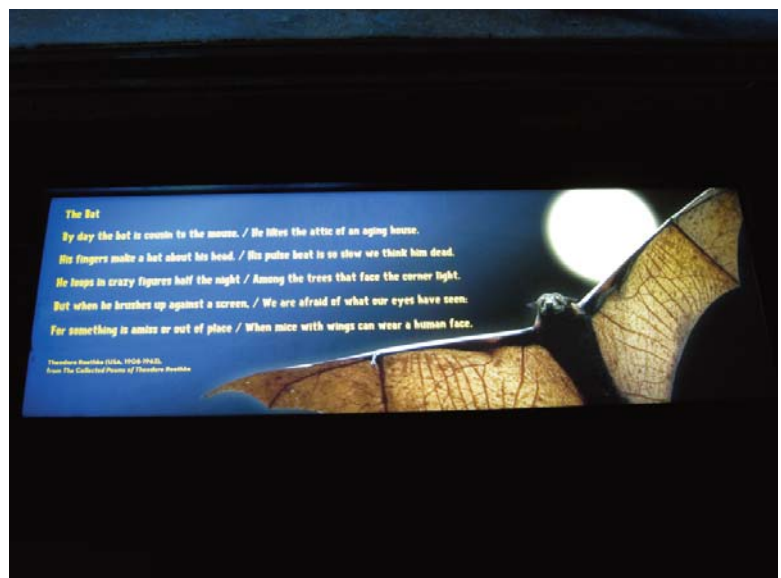
20. Small Mammal Garden

Theodore Roethke (USA, 1908 - 1963),
from "The Waking"



21. Small Mammals - Fruit Bats

Theodore Roethke (USA, 1908 - 1963),
from *The Collected Poems of Theodore Roethke*



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22. Small Mammal Hill

Donna J. Long (USA, b. 1963),
from "First Winter Grace"



23. Caribou Exhibit

Knud Rasmussen, (Greenland, 1879 -
1933),
transcribed from "Old Song of the
Musk Ox People"



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24. Grizzly

Reg Saner (USA, b. 1931),
from "This Grizzly"



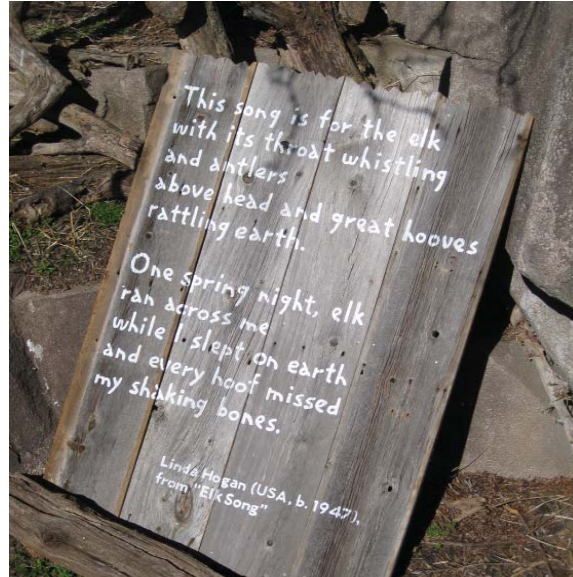
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25. Elk Yard

Linda Hogan (USA, b. 1947),
from "Elk Song"



26. Lake Evinrude Rock Wall

John Montague (USA, b. 1929),
from "The Trout"



27. Lake Evinrude Willow

Albert Goldbarth (USA, b. 1948),
from "Or of Anything"



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28. Lake Evinrude Deck

Walt Whitman (USA, 1819 - 1892),
from "Give me the Splendid Silent Sun"

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29. Birds Without Borders Deck

Jim Harrison (USA, b. 1937),
from "A Geo-Bestiary"



30. Moose Yard

Gerard Manley Hopkins (England,
1844 - 1889),
from "Inversnaid"



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31. Dall Sheep Butterfly Garden

Rabindranath Tagore (India, 1861 – 1941),
from “Light, My Light, the
World-filling Light”



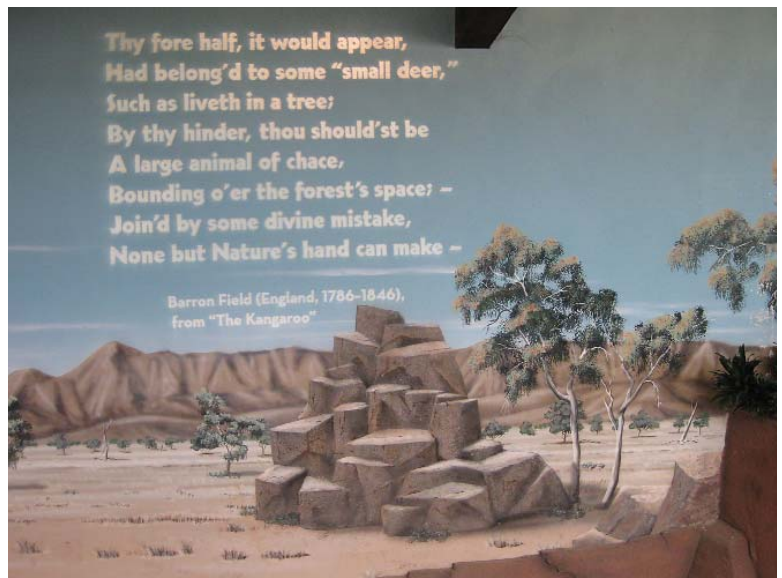
32. Australia: Emu Yard

Mary Fullerton (Australia, 1868 - 1946),
from “Emus”



33. Australia: Kangaroo Inside Exhibit

Barron Field (England, 1786 - 1846),
from “The Kangaroo”



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34. Wolf Woods Totem

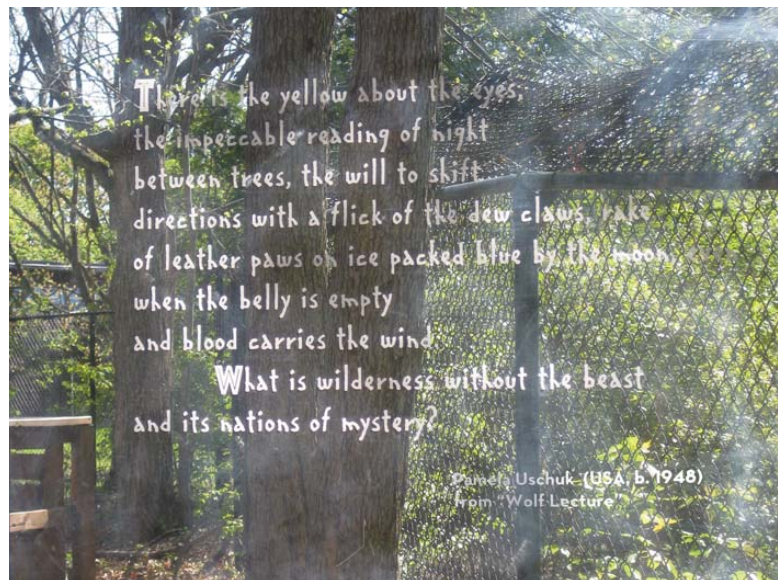
Maria Melendez (USA, b. 1974),
from "Aullido"

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35. Wolf Woods Boardwalk

Pamela Uschuk (USA, b. 1948),
from "Wolf Lecture"



36. Wolf Woods Banner

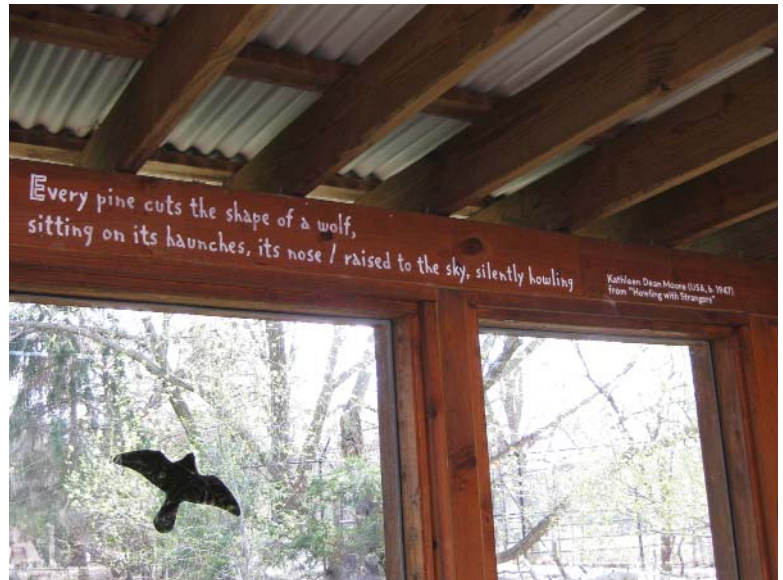
Karen Shragg (USA, b. 1954),
from "Think Like a Tree"



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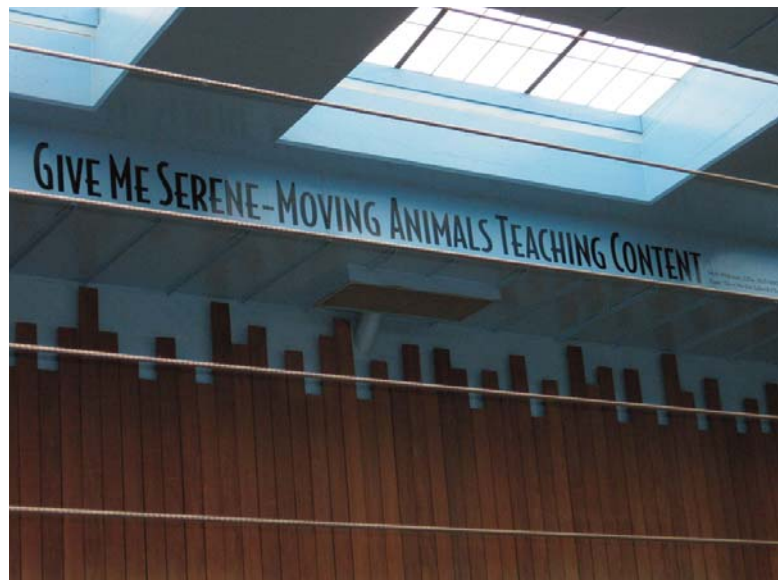
37. Wolf Woods Outside Viewing

Kathleen Dean Moore (USA, b. 1947),
from "Howling with Strangers"



38. Giraffe Inside Exhibit

Walt Whitman (USA, 1819 - 1892),
from "Give me the Splendid Silent Sun"



39. Giraffe Garden

Robin Chapman (USA, b. 1942),
from "Dancers"



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40. Pachyderm Mall Entrance

John Haines (USA, b. 1924),
from "To Turn Back"



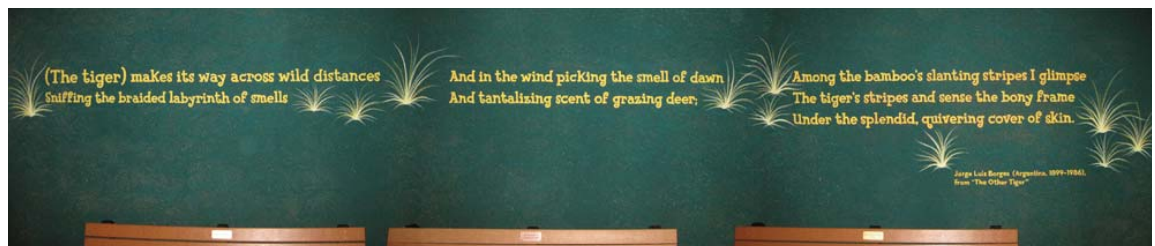
41. Birch Creek Trailhead

John Haines (USA, b. 1924),
from "And When the Green Man Comes"



42. Big Cat Country Tiger Wall

Jorge Luis Borges (Argentina, 1899 - 1986),
from "The Other Tiger"



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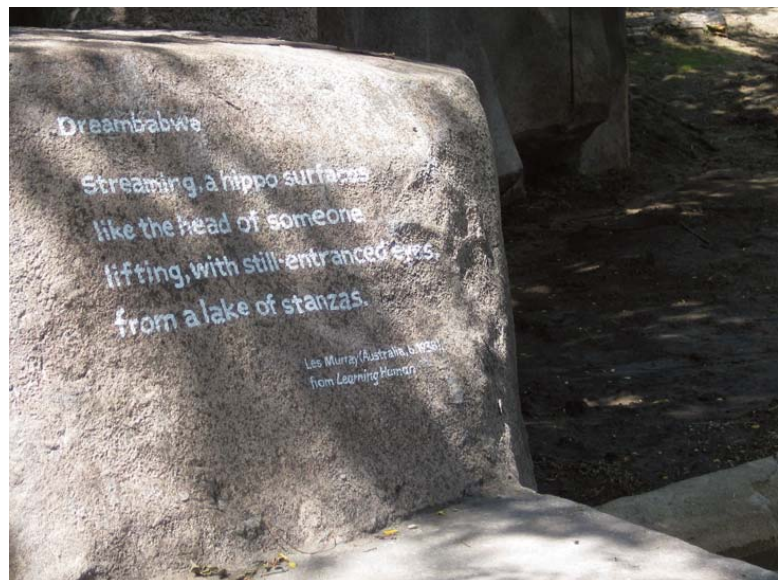
43. Big Cat Entrance

Marilyn Taylor (USA, b. 1939),
from *Shadows Like These*



44. Hippo Outside Exhibit

Les Murray, (Australia, b. 1938),
from "Learning Human"



45. Farm Bird Show Fence

Virginia Driving Hawk Sneve (USA,
Rosebud Indian Reservation b. 1933),
from *Dancing Teepees*



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46. Farm Bird Show Butterfly Garden

Rabindranath Tagore (India, 1861 – 1941),
from *Fireflies*



47. Farm Bee Hive

Emily Dickinson (USA, 1830 - 1886),
from *The Complete Poems of Emily Dickinson*



48. Farm Playground Fence

Joy Harjo (USA, b. 1951),
from "Remember"



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49. Farm Barnyard

Marge Piercy (USA, b. 1936),
from "To Be of Use"



50. Farm Heritage Garden

Marge Piercy (USA, b. 1936),
from "Digging In"



51. Farm Butterfly Garden

Rudyard Kipling (British India, 1865 - 1936),
from "The Butterfly That Stamped"



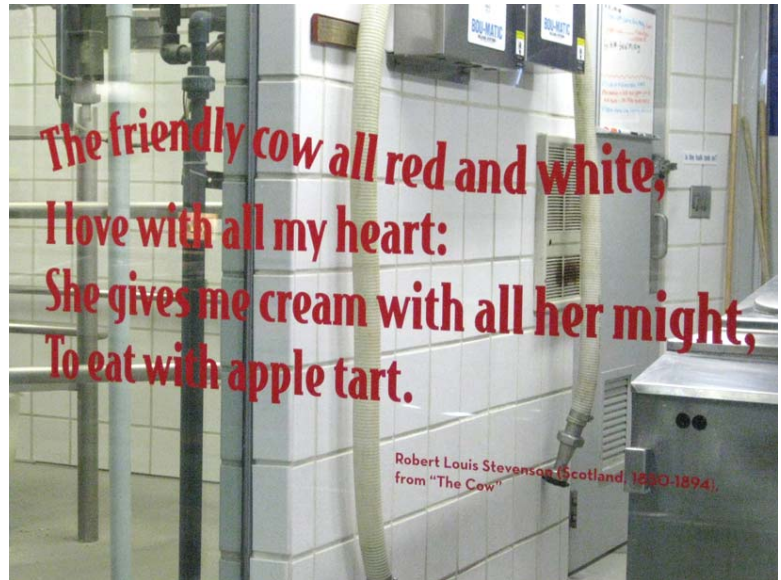
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52. Farm Milking Parlor

Robert Louis Stevenson (Scotland,
1850 - 1894),
from "The Cow"



53. Farm Cow Barn

Walt Whitman (USA, 1819 - 1892),
from "Song of Myself"



54. Farm Animal Encounter Garden

Tom Hansen (USA, b. 1942),
from "Jump Rope Rhyme"

