

when making the funeral arrangements forget about  
putting coins over my eyes  
to pay charon...

instead cover me with fishing gear.

if i can convince him about the joys of trout fishing

perhaps he and I could stop for a while to see if they are biting

and talk about the lures

and talk about other spots upriver

and reminisce about women we have known.

perhaps i can buy more time.

you never know where new friendships can take you nor how they will end.

funeral arrangements.

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