

NYC Villanelle

I awoke today and took a shower,
And I'm telling you this because
It lasted more than half an hour.

Outside, the clouds looked dour,
And though I don't know when it was,
I awoke today and took a shower.

They said learning how to cower
Takes some practice. Does
It last more than half an hour?

My dreams were made of sour.
My face was filled with fuzz.
I awoke today and took a shower

In my dream I saw a flower
Beside it the bee said buzz.
It lasted more than half an hour.

This city's the capitol of power:
Every building block's abuzz.
I awoke today and took a shower;
It lasted more than half an hour.