

GELO of Syracuse and 47%

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And from his supporters, against the Gamori,
by the 47%, the city saved.
But surprise of surprises, the wealthy invited back.
And for their effort, sweat, blood tears,
47 % to slavery sold,
The common folk were not to be loved
as most unpleasant companions.

And so we too today have our own Gelo of Massachusetts fame,
pounding at the gates pointing blame,
with promises of wealth and recovery,
when in truth,
from his own lips,
our fate has been sealed
as most unpleasant companions.

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