A Jovial Saturday Sight

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No twinkle- so, planet, not star. And bright, so either Venus or Jupiter. I'm guessing, Jupiter.

We have our artificial eyes on you, great one, Juno orbiting as I write. Welcome, then, most enormous Jupiter-

failed star, gas giant, mammoth mystery, largest neighbor not the sun. Hail! May we someday

understand you, fully. And respect you for what you are and not as a disappointment based on what we imagined you to be.