

# Dixdeux

## Tsunami Pollution

- 10 The dock arrived chockablock with species  
10 some considered invasive, bad news from  
2 Japan
- 10 Tsunami debris threatens marine life  
10 entanglement, contamination from  
2 Japan
- 10 Tons of debris sinks, more tons float to shore  
10 Misinformation, controversy from  
2 Japan
- 10 Styrofoam, plastic bottles, and lumber  
10 basketballs, boats and motorcycles, from  
2 Japan
- 10 Daily clean-up of the beaches for years  
10 what are species ingesting, bringing from  
2 Japan

## Debris

When relationships separate, get chilly,  
or heat violently, leave emotional  
debris

When volcanoes spew, when floods overflow,  
when tornadoes twist, when tsunamis toss  
debris

When bombs blast, when garbage dumps., pollution  
pours– I pause, look inward to reflect on  
debris

## Dixdeux:

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1. French for ten-two.
2. Any number of tercets. Line 3 becomes a refrain.
3. Syllable Count: 10-10-2
4. Unrhymed.
5. Titled