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# The Promised Land

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Some summer night  
on a cold wind's wing  
flying through  
the world you aren't in  
Trying to find  
a cardinal direction  
to silence the spin  
of compass collections

Water sits still  
beneath a full moon fire  
setting ablaze  
some long lost desire  
A thing that had been  
once happily  
upon a world  
of a garden and a tree

Embers ebb slow  
out with the tide  
that races away  
and fails ever to rise  
The barren sands  
of momentary malaise  
lie spare for the time  
of infinite days

A world of wonder  
or a weekend went wrong  
the difference isn't much  
when there's only one song  
Sung by each second  
in a sequence of sound  
that drowns out the sight  
of the emptiest ground

Eyes fail at all  
when there's nothing to see  
apart from the space  
of seas in tranquility  
A place to go drown  
on a soft searing day  
where all is lost  
in the simplest way

To sit in a sea  
or lie on a sand  
to love from a mountain  
all human hands  
There it will be  
the compass arm lands  
and delivers unto  
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