

## Fountain

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Stand  
under  
fountain  
cool skin  
wash clean  
wash him  
from me  
along comes wind  
a big bone-shaker  
blows off my clothes  
completely naked  
what to do  
when everything  
has left you?

Out of the blue  
it is he  
a vision to me  
bearing leaves  
petals green  
covers me  
in all my shame  
hand in hand  
he's my big man  
stays with me  
some forty days  
no words  
then goes away  
I cry again