

## Life Shatters

Desultory

Dying days of despair  
Are the mirrors of pain  
The glass in which I stare  
Are slowly building a palace in my mind  
Where the memories breeds my fear  
With halls of mourning and with walls of bitter loss

The world around me dies  
As the seasons change  
The water turns to ice  
And another year will push the past  
Further back into forgetfulness  
Among the moments never to return again

Lives are spread by the wind  
Growing further apart  
Can't return what has been  
I will never again touch those winters  
Or the shadows of the fall  
Never the innocence, the light of each day

Tell me now, where's the end to our strive  
Shattered life, the point where freedom dies  
Behold my eyes, can't you see I'm terrified  
Desperate holding on to a distant time

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So paint the edge with tears  
Of a perished emotion  
A wound so severe  
And much too deep to be erased  
By the healing hands of time  
That life has withered, and is gone forevermore