

# Someone Is Crying

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The fire came down from the mountain  
The people watched their village go up in flames  
And the rain never came

Does anyone know, someone is crying  
Is there no concern  
There's so many facing the night without shelter  
And there's nothing left to burn

Daylight falls on the desert  
The stallion is running with a herd  
And the birds, circled above

Does anyone know, someone is crying  
The men are loading their guns  
And the shots keep ringing out, like thunder  
And there's no where left to run

The sun is falling in the ocean  
Turning the sand into pearls  
And the girl watches alone

No one knows she is crying  
The salt mixes with her tears  
She turns away and moves into the sunset  
She has walked these shores for weeks

Does anyone know, someone is crying  
The salt mixes with her tears  
She turns away and goes into the sunsets  
She has walked these shores for years