

A decorative vertical bar on the left and a horizontal bar at the top, both containing a lush green forest scene with sunlight filtering through the trees.

a little book of natures power poems

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Party Girl

Floating softly, like a feather on the moon
Spinning slowly, the dream will end too soon.

The party's over and the glitter's cried away
Your eyes are tired yet
you think you ought to stay
The drink has loosened up your mind,
your problems fade away
Let yourself respond to fate
carefree for just one day.

Drowsy membranes
Staring through an upturned window pane
You've found the inspiration
Now you're searching for the flame
The labyrinth of a waking world
Slides in and eats your brain.

The key to open palace doors
Is hidden in your head
Answers beckon from the clouds
If you're willing to be led
To sink as low as asking help,
So much is left unsaid.

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Penelope Plays

Penelope plays –
so undreamingly
She plays in the maze –
so undreamingly
Yet she stops,
and she sleeps,
and she dreams.

Penelope dreams –
so unceasingly
The night as she dreams –
comes increasingly
Yet she wakes,
when the sky,
turns to blue
And she plays.

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chaos in control

Chaos in control spins me round and round
Waves of multiplicity breaking without sound.
I am in a spider's web, standing in a maze
Is this the way I want to spend the rest of my days?

World of babbling voices, flashing images
Careering out of control creating mass deranges.
I won't give in but I wish I could fly
Away from this destruction into the blue sky.

Life thrown away in trivia, out of my control
I've got my head against a brick wall
Searing to my soul, searing to my soul.

In this seething flux the urges to cling
Limpet like to my rocks is overwhelming.
Prison of conformity hold me in its vice
Double lengths of strongest chain
smother my desires.

The only way to break out is to take a chance
Take the path of your own dream,
lead in your own dance.

Chaos in control spins me round and round
Waves of multiplicity breaking without sound.

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your loving

Lay your sweet head down on the grass
Tell me some stories from the past
We'll watch the clouds drift by above
Tell one another about our love.

We'll lie together on warm summer land
Your head on my shoulder,
your hand in my hand
We'll talk of our dreams our plans
and our lives
Then we'll walk homewards as
light leaves the skies.

I see in your depths a pure shining light
Shine out the bright star into the night
I look into your eyes and I see
Your natural beauty and your energy.

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looking out

Doctor I feel anxiety.
Moody, rundown, no energy.
I saw a jet crossing the sky this morning,
it's like someone threw me a rope
As I watched it pass overhead,
inside myself a glimmer of hope.
Doctor I feel irritable. Sad all the time,
it's terrible.

There are other places to go to,
different times to see,
Smash down the walls of the prison,
there are other things to be.

Doctor I feel I have no interest,
tired all the time, don't know what's best.
The torturous path of change,
the taste of new invention.
Break down the barriers,
for me no more prevention.

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dart song

I was standing by the river,
when I felt my lady shiver
I would take her for a ride to the sea,
to the sea.

I said 'Are you coming with me',
Her golden hair was blowing wild
"No I'm going on my own" she replied,
she replied.

Flying high amongst the breezes,
going always where she pleases
I might meet her at the ocean,
at the sea, at the sea.

My lady of the skies,
I look into your eyes
I see to my surprise that you're my lady,
You're my lady of the skies.

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reach out

Reach out and touch the truth of the dream
Mind caress the flow of a stream
Know inside how good it may be,
taste how it can feel
Start in any way you can
to make your dreams come real

When you put love into the world
It catches up with you
Stare into the skies my love
They are the deepest blue

The first step is the hardest one,
don't keep it inside
Let out a burst of hope from your heart
You have nothing to hide

Let yourself free, let yourself be,
on any day, anywhere in any way

Face unknowing with a steady eye,
don't let the weather get you down
Doing what you feel in your heart
is the best thing around.

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you are the one

Patiently I wait for the day,
when you say, you'll appear
Patiently I wait for the hour,
when the power will be here.

Lightening strikes, thunder nearby
Waterfalls come crashing by
Open your mind to the infinite sky
You are the one.

Patiently I wait for the time,
we will see, you'll be mine
Patiently I wait for the light,
for my sight to be free.

Supernova in my mind,
burns so bright fierce and fine
Faster than light, older than time,
You are the one.

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stranger

Stranger in a strange land,
no one to guide the way
New things to understand,
newly-born each day.

Around every corner
forms rear and arise
A strange unknowing
will open up your eyes.

Shapes out of nowhere,
sounds of different places
New order and patterns,
many fresh faces.

New buds from unseen sources,
growth and power springing
From unseen forces
for a new beginning.

New sites and sounds invade
monotony-ridden cells
Invading many parts and
dissolving untold hells.

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Girl with a hoop

Little girl with flowing hair sleeping on my bed
Where do your dreams take you tonight,
what thoughts are in your head
When you're asleep and crying in your dreams?
Your voice is quiet but I hear your mind screams.

Little girl who's running free with nowhere to run to
Join hands and run with me I'll go somewhere with you
Until we find what we are searching for
And we don't want each other any more.

Who knows what our direction is,
our goal may be the same
We'll search a while together
in this lifelong searching game
Until we want to go our separate ways
Until we lose each other searching in this maze.

If we get there, when we do, I'm sure we'll meet again
A maze is solved in many ways
but the ending is the same
We can show each other where we're going wrong
Abate our loneliness as we both move along.

Talking eyes and speechless words
express our every thought
Our paths have forked together
in our search for what is sought
So let's enjoy the fruits of what we do today
Until we find out where we're going then we may
Find out we're going to the same place anyway.

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look at the sky

Look at the sky, look at the river
See the wind, the trees shiver.

Under a tree the old man is sitting,
his eyes on a far away sky
Forgetting the way that he was born
and the way that he may die
Why does he stay so quiet –
waiting for the night?

Look at the clouds, hear the birds cry
Look at the mountains, look at the sky.

High on a hill the castle stands,
its stone-walls high and dark
Its turrets are worn and weathered,
its features old and stark
The birds cry quietly to me,
they can't reverse the entropy.

Look at the sun, see it is setting
Then the moon, there's no forgetting.

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new beginning

Secret currents swirl sluggishly
In dark water with ameboid calm.

Tiny whirlpools scatter,
spread in rippling arms.
Ruffs of quilted swans unfurl into
spans of beating white
Smashing the water,
spread exciting turmoil
to crashing stillness.

Horizons burst into space.
An infinite heart
without an empty place
Takes into the air
and breaks into orbit
Everywhere.

A tsunami of the mind.

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castles in the air

Building castles in the air,
they will always tumble
When the tide rushes in,
dreams collapse and crumble.

A star at dawn, a bubble in a stream
A flickering light, a phantom in a dream
Beautiful though these things may be
They are only temporary.

Great kings in their sepulchres
survey labyrinths of destruction
Their vassals of entropy forego
any means of production.

Lost forever on the waves of time,
I was yours and you were mine
I keep your picture but it makes no sense
Against your love there's no defence.

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fight

Iron man bite metal
Cold fire ice-man gleams
Into the battle, into the screams.

Fist of rust thrust through glass
This one can't pass.

Walk the rope, teeth clenched
Unbending, sweat drenched.

Muscle strain, blood soaked
Dying cries, death croaks.

Gladiator stand
Warrior fight
Into the fire.

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