

## Would You Forfeit?

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in vain u wish  
to capture my love for urself,  
u would be better attempting  
to gather the sea with a thimble

i have dispensed with the particular  
in favour of the universal and while  
my love has increased immeasurably  
it cannot be gathered from fields unfolding  
to be gifted to any single entity or thing

i have hung my selfish desires on the wind  
and i am free to love u wholly,  
totally with all existence -  
how could u be left unfulfilled?  
let go of ownership, emotional or otherwise  
the universe is free, share it with me  
and together we would mount the skies  
and move forever in the bliss of cosmic creation,  
which is an expression of Love  
nothing else -  
for love's sake it came into being

i cannot comply or submit to something perverse  
only selfless love triumphs over all  
cease ur frantic efforts to possess,  
freedom is our gift from creation  
no prisons exist except those imposed by culture  
and what a tragic disease culture is today,  
let it go!

meet me in forever and we would abide forever -  
how could u substitute infinity for the disappointments  
and pain of transience?

cut the jailers from ur mind, religion, mother, father  
and cultural values, withdraw from chaos, insanity and perversion  
and meet me in paradise  
or suffer in ignorance, fear and selfishness  
like the herd that endlessly bite like rats at each others' throats  
forfeiting their chance of fulfillment

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