

# Dragonfly

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I once saw a dragonfly  
Caught in a spider's web  
As I looked at her once more  
I thought that she was dead  
So I left her alone and I went on my way  
And I was dreaming of Paris and Pierre Boulez  
But she called to me with a beat of her wing  
She called to me and said, "Free me?"  
She said, "Come and fly away with me tonight  
Come and fly away with me  
Come and fly away with me tonight?"  
She said  
I've been up there before  
Riding the wind and laughing and open  
But now I am afraid of flying  
I am afraid of finding that black again  
I am afraid of flying  
I am afraid of finding that black, that black again  
"Come and fly away with me tonight  
Come and fly away with me  
Come and fly away with me tonight?"  
She said

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