

# Boy Child

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You'll lose your way  
A boy child rides upon your back  
    Take him away  
Through mirrors dark and blessed with cracks  
    Through forgotten courtyards  
Where you used to search for youth  
    Old gets a new life  
Reach out you can touch it's true  
    He's not a shadow of shadows  
    Like you, you see  
    Hearts hold on holding  
If you stay one, you'll stay free  
    Go seek the lady  
    Who will give, not take away  
    Naked with stillness  
On the edge of dawn she stays  
    Night starts to empty  
    That's when her song begins  
    She'll make you happy  
She'll take you deep within her  
    Window lights for wanderers  
    Hide hard in your swollen eyes  
    Echoes of laughter  
    Hide in the cities thighs  
    Love catch these fragments  
Swirling through the winds of night  
    What can it cost  
To give a boy child back his sight  
    Extensions through dimensions  
    Leave you feeling cold and lame  
    Boy child mustn't tremble  
    Cause he came without a name

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