

a voice

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Away in the distance
I hear a voice.
Not one too soft
Nor one too harsh.
It calls my name
I frantically search.
But it is so far
So out of reach.
At first I walk,
Great care in each step.
I start to run
And begin to sweat.
I hear it again,
This time close.
I stop a moment
To catch a breath.
And feel a touch
On the back of my neck.
I turn around
And there I see,
A small child
Gazing before me.
Her hair is in knots,
Her belongings in a sack.
Her cheeks are flushed red,
Her eyes are black.
I stare at her with frightened eyes,
And open my mouth to speak.
Gracefully, ever so gracefully,
She lifts her finger
And places it upon my lips.
She turns around in one swift motion
And leaves without one notion.
Her eyes: forevermore,
Her voice: nevermore.