

TOGETHER

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I would like to hand you my still beating heart
And in the communion of that moment
Feel your self reflected in my eyes
Recognize our shared humanity

I would like to drink deeply from the fount of feeling
To embrace the raw emotion of desire
Of recognition
You are and I am
To know you
And love you
Today and today and today

Today is all, and you are all
I know
A friend, a partner, a lover

I would like
To love you
For you are bone of my bones
Flesh of my flesh

In this ever present now
We can watch the stars reflected in the freckles across your back
The sun in your eyes
The sound of the exploding universe in your hitched breath

We are here
The wonder of the universe given hands and eyes and mouths
To see and devour itself
Mystery unfolding
Limitless