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poem by
SKYE DREY

I want the ice to melt and the clouds to part;
To have the sun pour down and warm the waters;
I want for the trees to sway and the grass to grow;
For the flowers to bloom and
Give off the sweet oxygen that feeds the world.
I want my thoughts to stop and my blood to flow;
To hear my heart beat against my chest and
Feel the heat pulsating in my hands;
I want to hear your whispers in my ear
That heal the deadened bruises lingering on my skin;
I want to hear the violins, the cellos
The flutes, and the piano blaring at the top of their lungs
As our story moves along and
Reaches its peak;
I want to feel your warmth around my body
As you lay me down in a white dress torn to shreds.
I want to hear your voice say my name
One more time before you move on
And my eyes close.
I want to feel your warmth one more time;
To smell the roses and
Taste their air one more time
Before my tears flow and my blood stops;
Before the wind forgets to blow
And the clouds hide the light
And the ice freezes over once again.

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