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## Window of Innocence

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## WINDOW OF INNOCENCE

Long ago, you gave me insight into paradise  
A blanket of pure blue, illuminated by rays of gold, was always above you  
Right below, gleeful faces, lively animals, and roaring vehicles took up all your space  
No matter how difficult life got, your images made me believe in universal goodness

But then one day, you covered yourself up with curtains that attempted to impersonate  
That beloved sky you were once so open to, leaving me with a dark, polluted horizon,  
Adults with lines of distress and sorrow swelling under the eyes,  
Dogs struggling to break free from the leashes that keep them imprisoned,  
And cars bound to crash or break down if drivers are too reckless

Why did you betray me, you miscreant?  
Was obtaining false beauty for yourself worth destroying everything else's perfect image?  
All I can wish for now is that a stone gets thrown into your vain and glassy face  
Shattering you into microscopic pieces invisible to all  
As punishment for destroying my own vision