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"...quiet and meaningless
As wind in dry grass."

-T.S. Eliot, *The Hollow Men*

The wind in dry grass
Whispers meaning
Only heard by those who see
Farther than this lonely field
Who watch the distant tempest blast
Come to whisper here in grass.

The wind in dry grass
Whispers secrets
Only known by those who see
Deep into the stalks of wheat
Curling up from ancient past
Now to whisper as dry grass.

The wind in dry grass
Hints at meaning
Only shown to those who see
It's subtly balance tapestry
And what chance may bring to pass
What changes from these winds in grass?