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## Spring And Sunshine

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## I Am Spring

I was born on the first day of Spring  
I am Spring  
Come celebrate with me  
The experience of rebirth

Ride bareback with me on my chestnut mare  
We will gallop  
Down sun-dappled trails  
In the green woods

Sending up whirls of dust  
We will dance  
On the hard-packed earth  
To bluegrass music

Down at the swimming hole  
Find your childhood  
Lay naked with me in the sun  
and leave experience on the shore

Hold me in your arms  
Make love to me by starlight  
In the warm sands  
On the beach

Open your heart with laughter and  
Wash away old sorrows  
Play in Spring rains  
Be born again

Ginnie Seamann

After a long, cold winter  
spring appears  
to thaw out a frozen land,  
to bring life back into the trees and flowers,  
to dissolve the winter blues,  
to shed the old and to bring a new way.

And though the sun was there  
we feel a stronger presence  
to share its gift with us,  
to give life and happiness to those who accept,  
to spread its warmth upon the few,  
to welcome us into its golden rays.

Now I have found you  
And it is you who are my spring and my sunshine  
For as the spring you appeared,  
to thaw my frozen soul,  
to bring life to my heart,  
to dissolve my blues,  
to shed the old and to bring me new ways.

And as the sun you were there  
but now in a stronger presence  
to share your gifts with me  
to give me life and happiness because I accept you now  
to spread your warmth upon me  
to welcome me into the golden rays you shine

Peggy Scott

## After Dark Has Fallen

Crawl thru the woods  
this pitch evening  
on the island strait;

To summon the courage  
from some outfrozen acid batteries  
To stand like an evolved beast  
uncowed  
by the thunder flash  
of kingdoms of nature,  
kingdoms of men.  
To rise like a birthright  
in shadowed depression hood  
To shout and jump  
and stamp  
and cry  
like a being  
filled with the riotous joy  
of creation

and create  
LIFE

on the seventh day  
after dark  
has fallen

Lee Kesselman

