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VAIN PURSUIT

Nursing self-delusion  
Nurturing perfection  
Chasing ideals  
Patronizing risks  
Tempting fate  
Weaving dreams...  
Oh, am I being  
driven into a quandary  
wandering lost  
in the realm of insanity?

Then farewell my deceitful mind,  
It's vain and fruitless to lament  
which stings the soul,  
when no hope  
nor faith yield their fruit,  
Why then wallow in regret?

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