



Creative Work

As the Willow Gently Weeps

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As the willow gently weeps,
Another soul stops to beat
A monarch flutters about one last time
A bird high in flight falls to the ground
A wasp stings for the first and last time
A worm shrivels up on the asphalt
An old man is removed from the ventilator

As the willow gently weeps,
Another soul starts to beat
A butterfly emerges from the chrysalis
An egg cracks open in a nest
A dauber pops out of the mud
A hermaphroditic worm caresses another head
A baby cries as the umbilical cord is cut

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Another soul starts and stops to beat