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by Natalie Padilla

I can feel the prickle of the grass
And the cold, desolate ground beneath me
My body is weak as I struggle to wake
For I feel your presence surround me
A blade of grass comes into view
I tilt my head towards the blazing sky
Where the clouds cradle me with warmth
And your face is hidden from sight
My body rises slowly from the Earth
Weightless, I want to reach out for you
Your name tastes sweet across my lips
But sound seems not to exist here
Numbness takes effect while I stand
Something is changing within me, without
My memory is fading, your face is lost on me
A flashback of us hits, but last to go, it rips
My eyes gazed down on a familiar girl
She reminded me of the me before
She had my face, she had my smile
But I could not feel her anymore