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She jilted her life on the reaper's front door step.  
She complied, without question, to the restraint of rules.  
They told her "Be hollow, satisfaction will come soon,"  
But she knows nothing good comes from an empty room.  
She now mistreats her mind with thoughts,  
Plaguing herself with discontentment.  
Her will is no longer breathing.  
Her aches have insipid flavors.  
Her eyes see nothing but a sickly olive green.  
She sings the words to dirges and nothing else.  
Her hands clench tight, never letting pressure out.  
Hopefully one day her life will choose to run from the reaper's presence.