



There before the grace go I
 written, but tend rather to decay
 a decree to one's own pity, stained.
 Struggles-of the mirror- to observe
 one's own pity to preserve
 refusal to see ourself in others' pain?
 Locked-the spirit, in bind-full affray
 bled out, into puddles, of sentient decay
 disconnected by singular, dare not despair?
 Means of wealth, the burden of health?
 But the pity of self is empty of wealth
 the stains more apparent beyond one's care!
 Compassion leans into embrace
 before the I, again, [there]be grace
 connection be the true heart, decree.
 Pity alligns pain through one's own gentle touch
 to the mirror first, to release the clutch
 for eyes, freed of pity, are again free to see.
 No more stains nor one's decay
 spirit bind-less [of]mindless affray
 acceptance full
 empathetic
 aurified
 there before grace go the I.

There Before Grace



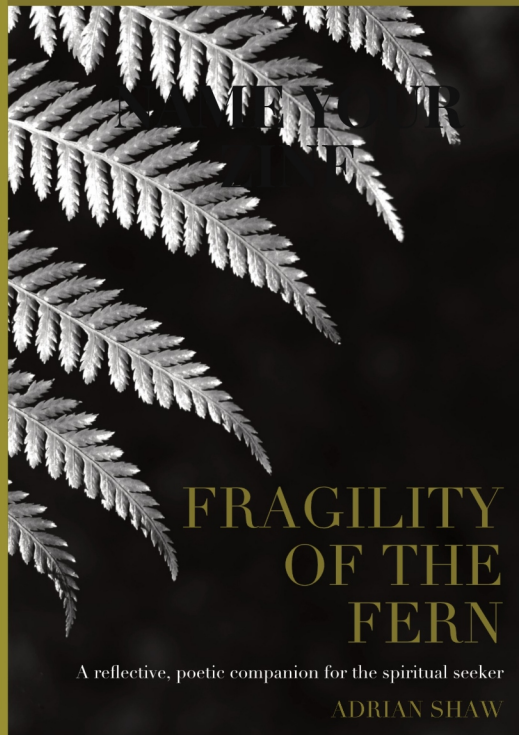
Forcing falls into disappointment,
 allegiance to nothing but a scent
 Distraction of mind tastes of aggravement,
 out of shape the heart be bent
 The surface sighs of the contrived,
 effortless, it restrains the release
 Forceful and depth shall be deprived,
 the knowing disregarded with the peace.
 Time values its own atrophy,
 the rising of purposed shall voice
 Allowing, accepting all just to be,
 the reflection will sight its rejoice.

All Just To Be

You Are Far From Alone

[i]
 It can be a lonely pathway,
 few we will meet are akin?
 Be the voice,
 the voice within dismay,
 for those, the awakening that begins.
 Light is the sabre,
 cut through the cords,
 the residual of the strains remain.
 Be here, be here,
 no place to afford,
 faith requires no more than a grain.

[ii]
 You are far from alone here,
 so many of your kind beside.
 The moment reveals
 the direction to steer,
 hold tight and enjoy the ride.
 All is done but eyes will deny,
 it is again to the faith, adhere.
 Strive no more
 nor of tomorrow comply,
 no more shall the heart touch fear.



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