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This cup of tea, drained slowly with closed eyes,
Permit the memory to recall.
No one saw, hand in hand, the two,
His left perfectly into her right.
And pressed tightly, not even light between breaths.
Tide drained, eyes open, now present in the dark.
In consciousness, it might be forgotten.
The words, never, the laughter, not yet.
Hands still now, over a book never closed before midnight,
A smile permitted, strange company for a tear.
For a moment the edges of Being not blurred, not intact,
But happily rearranged.