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The ogre who
could not cry
searched for
answers in the
sky.

He lifted his
grieving arms
up to
the star-riddled
night,

yet no tears filled
his raven
colored
eyes which longed to
weep.

He looked to the
seas of deep
wonders
and begged Neptune
for flowing tears of
sadness to
fall from
his saddened old
eyes,

yet none did drop.
He yelled to
the earth
for liquid of
morn,

but no tears fell.
Overcome by sadness
and woe, the ogre
lay down and
died.