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And so I leave this world again.
I'll be back— I know not when,
For I will walk on the underpass,
The hidden hills and twisting paths,
Without a compass,
Without a guide,
I can no longer trust another
To show me the way to salvation.
And though I may never find it,
And though immeasurable pain will I endure,
It will be mine,
I will feel it.
And I will be freer than you,
You who rely on others
 To tell you what you are
 What you feel
 Who you should be.
Yes, I leave this world,
No remorse—
I am freer.