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She sits on her rocking chair,
swaying back and forth.
Her eyes staring at the skies.

An observer notices only the despondency,
the sadness in her eyes,
the grief in her heart,
the emptiness in her soul.

She continues to rock
and waits for someone to whisk her away
from her tormenting solitude.

Solitude –
one of the many harsh emotions
that tie her down to this earth,
as she searches for something
greater than dejection.

She waits day after day,
and watches the sun rise and set.
Without ever realizing the presence
of the many souls around her,
she swings.

Lamenting her loneliness,
she fails to realize that she is never alone.