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Parody of "A Dream Defe By Nic King

What happens to love that's deferred?

Is it lost forever?
Like the city beneath the sea?
Or bleed like a cut --And then heal?
Does it rot like a dead tree?
Or shed and grow over
Like a slithering snake?
Maybe it stings
Like an open wound.

Or does it move on?