Bottomless River Poems

Friend

Dark river waters
I cannot see my reflection
Brown earth liquid flows
Yet I know
Even at this young age
That I'll always be with you
Even if after today
I never see you again
Slow Perpetual Wonderings
Leaving me behind.

Intersection

I watch you
Good woman
A person better than me
I don't mean to judge
Respect
Is it greater than love?
I wish I could offer you purity
Only muddied pasts
And the tentative present
Your path
Dissected Mine
The Loss was Yours.

Culture

Wasn't it all better

Before?

The culture of our youth

Always is

And I learn of those

Gone before

And feel admiration

And saddened by the now

But all I can

Feel

Is the music

And the art

Of the times

It was Ours.

Liberation

One day

I will escape

The country offers nothing

To the Young

Unless you're a fucking farmer

They just don't

Understand Me

Am I alone here?

There must be something better

Than this.

Peddle

I'm good at this And I don't give a fuck anymore Sell a house An idea, a dream

I can do it

It's all a game you see

And I'm dealing the cards

Line up suckers

The lies are all here

At a price

Too long to belong

Growing up was perfect

Sun full

Space wide

Grass yellow

River cool

Freedom

I know now

But it's already too late

I've grown older

So far removed

From how it used to be.

And what is to come?

It used to be easy

But now I'm frozen.

Veins

The river bank imbued

With the corpses

Of trees

Limbs

Reaching out

Clinging to the water

In memory

Perpetually changing

Forever Dying

Bringing Life.