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## Catch the Chase

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Two hours of pure and simple truth pass by,  
The shadows flick and explode against walls,  
I gasp and shudder as images fly,  
I walk with angels down black and white halls.

The actors experience pain and joy  
On the silver screen in my living room.  
Anguish enjoyably begins to cloy,  
At the lowest points, new hope strangely blooms.

A well-worn face, a wrinkled overcoat,  
Peter Falk's familiar dusty grin  
Anchors me safely so I do not float  
Into the pool of passion deep within  
This film which is changing my perceptions  
And waking me out of dull reflections.

*by Lucienne Roe*