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Moon beams
Slide down
Along the silky bare sky
And fall
Like a spotlight
On my weary body.
I look up and see
This moon that watches me.
Thinking it knows only what we tell it,
I explain my loneliness
The empty spaces around me.
Tonight I burden its smooth face
With my fears.

At last I lose myself In the dark places Beyond the grasp of the moon's fingers.

by Danielle Teske