

## **A Fleeting Memory**

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A bookstore void and empty late at night. Just me, the journals and the lone cashier. Although my parting words were not quite right, I hold to hope my meaning was sincere. Within my mind her manner calmed and pleased; Mature and light, I almost felt at home. Her earthen eyes both grounded and set free, And yet soon after I was left to roam. A misty maze confounds my every step, And pictures hide in dark and unknown cracks.

I find my recollection torn apart,

And when I try, her semblance won't come back.
Yet remained the warmth that she imparted;
What mind forgot, heart had not discarded.