

Haiku



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I

Shelley's Voice

Singsong cadence
Tongue curling vowels
Rich Tennessee coating

II

Island

Vanilla frosted clouds
Melt down to meet
Sugar capped waves

III

A South Carolina Cemetery

Moss covered trees
Stretch gray
Along the foggy land

IV

Afterwards

I sit sweater wrapped
Rain beats
Purple pansies