

## Sincerely

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he said, go round the back way  
he said, avoid the road more travelled  
he said, hold tight onto your smile  
when it's dark out & you, so fragile  
you won't see the ground,  
but it will rise beneath  
you are steady on your feet  
until it hits you in the teeth

you will know it when you've gone too far,  
your sight grows in & narrow  
you cannot see the stars above you  
they love you in their far away way  
they ask you sincerely to stay, hey, stay

she said, look up once in a while  
she said, remember things there always remain  
blossoms in the spring  
birds remember to sing  
& you will do the same

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buildings hurdle by the train as you ride  
you don't know where & you don't know why  
all you can do is dry your eyes  
cry like a little child  
sometimes it takes a while  
to be born

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