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**i will cry for you – a million tears
that spiral into stars of silences
remembering the children that we were
and the worlds that we almost knew
before the sun was frozen in our minds –
now we spin our tears through alter worlds
toasting ashtrays with our cigarettes
breathing the smoke of half-forgotten beers –**

**a thousand stairs rising through mists
and a thousand more beyond the clouds
reaching heights that we have barely
dreamed –
kingdoms still await us the skies
that only child eyes have wit to see –
so we can recreate our universe
of alter suns and moons and ocean dreams
exploding through the tears i cry for you –
and you for me – spiralling new prayers
into our skyward multiplicity.**

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