

A raccoon is perched on a large, mossy log that spans across a shallow stream. The raccoon is looking towards the left, with its front paws resting on the log. The water in the stream is clear, reflecting the surrounding greenery and the log. The background is a lush forest with various shades of green.

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this is my church of ever  
silences resounding  
inside sound –

i breathe in the trees –  
from needled loam and damp  
to leaves and grass –

with each fading gasp  
i am undone  
pulsing the fragrant earth –

then subtly remade  
Inside each drawing breath.

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