

When I Thought Like a Child

by Elizabeth Daniel

teach me how to drink
the stars' bright mystery
show me how to see
just beyond the edges of my life
paint pictures
with rainbows on my earlobes
Dance
in the darkness of the night
wear clouds for shoes in the winter
reach
just past the horizon line
Dream, Child, dream
dream dreams beyond imagining
but never forget
to fly
when you can no longer walk



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