

THE TWO TREES

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Am **G C F C G Am**
 BELOVED, GAZE IN THINE OWN HEART THE HOLY TREE IS GROWING THERE
Am G C F C G Am
 FROM JOY THE HOLY BRANCHES START AND ALL THE TREMBLING FLOWERS THEY BEAR
Am G C
 THE CHANGING COLORS OF ITS FRUIT
F C G Am
 HAVE DOWERED THE STARS WITH MERRY LIGHT
Am G C F C G Am
 THE SURETY OF ITS HIDDEN ROOT HAS PLANTED QUIET IN THE NIGHT
F C G Am F C G Dm
 THE SHAKING OF ITS LEAFY HEAD HAS GIVEN THE WAVES THEIR MELODY
F C G Am F C G Am
 AND MADE MY LIPS AND MUSIC WED, MURMURING A WIZARD SONG FOR THEE
Am G C F C G Am
 THERE THE LOVES A CIRCLE GO THE FLAMING CIRCLE OF OUR DAYS
Am G C F C G Am
 GYRING, SPIRING TO AND FRO IN THOSE GREAT IGNORANT LEAFY WAYS
F C G Am F C G Am
 EMEMBERING ALL THAT SHAKEN HAIR AND HOW THE WINGED SANDALS DART
F C G Am F C G Am
 THINE EYES GROW FULL OF TENDER CARE; BELOVED, GAZE IN THINE OWN HEART
Am G C F C G Am
 GAZE NO MORE IN THE BITTER GLASS THE DEMONS WITH THEIR SUBTLE GUILE
Am G C F C G Am
 LIFT UP BEFORE US WHEN THEY PASS OR ONLY GAZE A LITTLE WHILE
F C G Am F C G Am
 FOR THERE A FATAL IMAGE GROWS THAT THE STORMY NIGHT RECEIVES
F C G Am F C G Am
 ROOTS HALF HIDDEN UNDER SNOWS; BROKEN BOUGHS AND BLACKENED LEAVES
Am G C F C G Am
 FOR ALL THINGS TURN TO BARREN-NESS IN THE DIM GLASS THE DEMONS HOLD
Am G C F C G Am
 THE GLASS OF OUTER WEARINESS MADE WHEN GOD SLEPT IN TIMES OF OLD
F C G Am F C G Am
 THERE, THROUGH THE BROKEN BRANCHES GO; THE RAVENS OF UNRESTING THOUGHT
F C G Am F C G Am
 FLYING, CRYING, TO AND FRO CRUEL CLAWS AND HUNGRY THROAT
F C G Am
 OR ELSE THEY STAND AND SNIFF THE WIND
F C G Am
 AND SHAKE THEIR RAGGED WINGS, ALAS!
F C G Am F C G Am
 THY TENDER EYES GROW ALL UNKIND, GAZE NO MORE IN THE BITTER GLASS
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 FROM JOY THE HOLY BRANCHES START
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 AND ALL THE TREMBLING FLOWERS THEY BEAR REMEMBERING ALL THAT SHAKEN HAIR
F C G Am F C G Am
 AND HOW THE WINGED SANDALS DART THINE EYES GROW FULL OF TENDER CARE
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