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When I look in on myself
I see you with me and no one else

But now you have gone away
We can no longer as in the past play

The game that brings bumps to my skin
That willingness to make sin

Behind that Harvard statue after a date
When the night was long and late

At first we heard others and were afraid
But the urgency grew and we were soon staid

Swelling away against the wall
You experiencing me and protecting me from a fall

I heard your pleasures as they grew
And then I knew

When I look in on myself
I see me with you and no one else

That wondrous sensation on my neck, a breath
Is forever stolen now by your sudden death.

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