

Blistave kapi

Uzalud će mi trave bajati
I suncokreti na koje ličim.
Svi kada zađu, ti ćeš stajati
U krugu što se ne briše ničim.

Ko god mi svrati na konak snijeće
Sunce u ptice perje skriveno.
I twoje venčano ruho biće
Mojim mislima prošiveno.

Kad stresem se sa blistave kapi
Uskršnjeg vina tvojih godina
Zemlja će pred mnom da razjapi
Bezube čeljusti pukotina.

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Sparkling drops

My grass will wilt in vain
And sunflowers that I look like.
When everyone has gone, you will be standing
In a circle that cannot be erased by anything.

Whoever stops by my lodging will dream
The sun is hidden in a bird's feathers.
And your wedding dress will be
Stitched with my thoughts.

When I shake off the shiny drop
Easter wine of your age
The earth will gape before me
Toothless jaw cracks.

And my grass will be wilting in vain
And sunflowers that I look like.
When everyone has gone, you will be standing
In a circle that cannot be erased by anything.

A poem by the Serbian poet and writer Dobrica Erić