

New Pair of Eyes

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everything's tender again
the veil fell apart in my hands
every tree in the city is marvelling with me
we're watching the miracle dance
everything's coming alive
strangers are meeting my eyes
it's like a ray of sun
shines out of everyone
and I
I have a new pair of eyes
and oooo oooo I
love how the world, oh it shines
it came for me there in the dark
where everything luminous starts
I whisper at last, and though I know it must pass
the sails have come out in my heart
a mystery man came to my door
he said "all that you wanted is yours
throw out your jars of tears
all of the useless fears,
you won't need them anymore!"