I Write

I write to water grasses Draw up flowers from the mud Recreate ourselves Unravel inner mysteries Plotting a course through cosmic messages Gather old bones Ancestral relics Shape planting songs Spark life breath into seeds Waiting to rise again

I write to rename This source that incites us Give up voice to sound Pathways to rebirth Towards roots of precious trees Where we begin Awaken the philosopher stone Lines in our hands Always swimming up river Against the current In the undercurrent Leaping waterfalls Born of Nile

I write to define a circumference You cannot find on a wall Knowable only in the river In between shadows in the light Where root and water meet.

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