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# The Innocent Butterfly

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### The Innocent Butterfly, A Calavera

Here lies a beautiful butterfly Who died yesterday Her habitat and environment ruined By strangers

Here lies a young man Who died last week His lungs and air taken By cigarettes

Here lies a gracious family
Who died last month
Their Home and Village burnt to the ground
By soldiers

Here lies the world Who died ten years ago Their Ocean polluted Their Lands burned Their Glaciers melted By who But by you