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THE MOUNTAIN AND ME

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The mountain is everything  
it can be;  
there is nothing else  
it can be,  
but everything  
that is a mountain  
is also me running  
along the farmer's path  
being careful with my knees.  
I am the field of rapeseed  
when running on two legs,  
breathing heavily,  
noticing the dark shadows,  
the golden highlights,  
as the enjoyment of the setting  
sun is deeply  
thinking about missing you  
loping along beside me,  
also being everything you are,  
you the smiling field, the path thinking,  
as I know  
that I am you  
missing me.

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