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# Elegy of Chattanooga

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**TREE REFLECTIONS-NIGHT** Yara L. Soto Hernandez

**ELEGY OF CHATTANOOGA**

Kelly Anne Triage

I scratched the eye of god;  
Falling from the mountain's edge.  
Can two people share one hallucination?  
Love's kaleidoscope.  
We caught a glimpse of heaven's door  
Through a broken telescope's glass  
Found in a motel near Chattanooga  
Uncovering Galaxies.  
I dropped the map on interstate 20  
And I got lost on the road to you.  
Twisting turns and knotty affairs

Hearts entangled.  
The whisky doesn't pour fast enough  
To wash away the taste of salty tears  
Born from the image of your figure  
Cutting ties.  
I picture the stars that painted the sky  
Like a million fireflies stuck on black canvas;  
I glimpsed heaven's door near Chattanooga  
Through your eyes.