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Háa'hávéháne

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Reveries of reveries surrendered
to her lips as she whispered
crackle-kissed zephyr in my ear.
I smelled the solitude on her breath.
It was clear she had indulged on
loneliness, feeding until she was
on the brink of bursting,
her stomach pregnant with subzero seclusion.
She continued to reminisce pausing
only to lick her fingertips.
Around her, snowflakes danced in her hair
as memoirs of the bygone fervor
in the sunny spell of summer
shrouded her in a symphony of sorrow.
Never before have I met a creature such as she.
One that reveled within the chilly quietness of winter
never withering,
never passing into springtime.