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Who, swimming naked and alone  
In some forgotten pond  
Wants to open her eyes beneath the surface  
To see the strange light her body casts?  
To view her own familiar figure's  
Angles askew, contorted in a yielding suspension,  
Glowing in the green?  
Frightened some stray bass  
Might cross the dim boundary illumined  
By skin-shine, who would guess  
What swims beyond tender eye's range?  
So let the struggling plant-life  
Entangle my limbs, but  
Keep me from asking who sends them.  
Why touch where the roots are bound  
To the muddy earth?