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## Basho's Road; Back Home

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# Basho's Road

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Autumn nightfall  
floods the road

no other  
traveler  
chose.

# Back Home

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Insects complain  
in the old village.

My parents' voices turn  
among the leaves.

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