MAKING ISLANDS

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Kara Wright is a Sophomore majoring in English with a minor in Creative Writing. She has always had a passion for Creative Writing and her goal is to become a published author in the future. This piece is a found poem, one that is created using only words, phrases, or quotations that have been selected and rearranged from another text. The inspiration for this found poem was the song "Transatlanticism" by Death Cab for Cutie.

I'll tell you how the clouds above let it out.

Standing on the surface, the water, thousands upon thousands.

Making islands (oh no).

People took to their boats. The rhythm of footsteps silenced forevermore.

The distance is farther than ever before (oh no).



Original Lyrics:

Death Cab for Cutie. "Transatlanticism." Transatlanticism. Barsuk Records, 2003. Transcript of lyrics.

