When you ate I saw your eyelashes
Saw them shake like
wind on rushes
In the cornfield

When she called me
Moths surround me
thought they'd drowned me

And I miss your precious heart

Dried rose petals, red-brown circles frame your eyes and stain your knuckles,

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And all those lonely nights down by the river brought me bread and water in

But though I tried so hard my little darlin' I couldn't keep the night from comin' in

And all those lonely nights down by the river brought me bread and water by the kith and the kin
Now in the quiet hour when I am sleepin' I cannot keep the night from comin' in
Why've you gone away? gone away again? I'll sleep through the rest of my days
If you've gone away again I'll sleep through the rest of my days
And I will sleep through the rest of my days

Why've you gone a-way?

Sev'en suns, sev'en suns a-way, a-way,
Can you hear me? Will you listen?

Don't come near me, don't go missin', and in the lissome light of evenin' help me. Cosmi... I'm grievin'

rit. poco a poco
And all those lonely nights down by the river

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brought me bread and water by the kith and the kin Now in the quiet hour when I am sleeping
I cannot keep the night from coming.

Beneath the porch light we've all been circulating.

Beat our dusty feet, singe our flour wings.

But in the corner something is happening.
Wild Cosmia, what have you seen?

Water were your limbs and the fire was your hair

And then the moon-light caught your eye and you rose through the air

Well if you've seen true light, then this is my prayer.
Cosmia

Will you call me when you get there?
And I miss your precious heart
And miss, and miss, and miss your heart

But release your precious heart to its feast for
