

INVISIBLY SOMEHOW EVERYTHING PASSES

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Invisibly somehow everything passes,
Wonderful morning has already changed the sunset,
Summer is over, autumn leaf fall,
You sad thoughts suggest.
Life wanders unknown path,
Children's dreams are floating away
And the remnants of the former beauty
You have long been driven crazy sometimes...

YEARS LIKE TELEGRAPH POLES

Years like telegraph poles,
All about something inaudible buzzing
And do not disassemble the pleas,
Do not understand what they want.
A series of births and losses,
This constant world of anxiety,
You are not happy with your fate,
And God does not help something...

HOW GOOD TO FALL AT TIMES

How good to fall at times
In the rain forest pick mushrooms
And just enjoy the silence
Forgetting the ups and downs of fate.
How good to fall at times
Do not disturb the tired life of running,
To realize that you are still alive,
What does not sweep still cold snow...

AGAIN THIS HELLISH WIND

Again this hellish wind
Drives all and drives snow,
It would be better if the devil's spit
It would be better if the heat of agony.
I hate cold so much,
I do not like frost,
Do not be mistaken that you are young,
Poems become prose.
No one will tell you: "Darling!"
Do not cut this *Gordian knot*,
An ardent wind is gaining strength,
No billiard ball is in the pocket...

SUCH A FAMILIAR PRIMITIVE

Such a familiar primitive,
Such prose,
Completely trite motive among manure.
From year to year one and the same:
Winter or summer,
"And life is just a copper penny"
Say all poets.
Did candle emit night light,
Or maybe extinguished
Was life or not, that is a secret?
It's not clear yet.

Bio

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