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## **SONG OF THE SERVANT SHEPHERD**

*Canto del servo pastore*

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Where the rosemary blooms there's a dark fountain  
where my destiny walks there's a thread of fear  
which is the direction nobody taught me  
what's my real name I don't yet know.

When the moon loses the wool and the sparrow the road  
when every angel is enchained and every dog barks  
take your sadness in your hand and blow it in the river  
dress your pain in leaves and cover it in feathers.

Above every rock rose from here to the sea  
there's a bit of my hair  
above every cork oak the drawing of all my knives  
the love of houses, the love dressed in white  
I've never known it and I've never betrayed it.

My father a hawk my mother a pile of straw  
are on the hill their bottomless eyes follow my moon  
night, night, night alone, alone like my fire  
bow your head on my heart and put it out little by little.

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