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Atop her lonesome body
sleeping so cold white and slim
rested a long season's leaves
and weeping seraphim.

Within his long-locked cupboard
ages a golden untouched ring
crowned with a widow spider's veil
a promise and a dream.



Amongst words unspoken
caught within untimely woe
will remain her answer to his question
both a yes and a no,