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THE EIGHTH DAY

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For seven days and seven nights,
I sat upon a hill.
For seven days and seven nights,
I was very still.
For seven days and seven nights,
I watched the lonely Doe.
For seven days and seven nights,
The grass, it warmed my toes.
For seven days and seven nights,
The wind, it brushed my hair.
For seven days and seven nights,
The rain was always there.
For seven days and seven nights,
The cool breeze made me slight.
For seven days and seven nights,
The sun, it gave me sight.
For seven days and seven nights,
I sat a silent vigil,
And found that in my solitude,
I had many friends.
But on the eighth day,
I found myself alone.
Because, my friends,
I had found my way home.

THE PAGE

By Katie Enos

Crisp, Clean, Blank
Endless possibilities in these
Empty lines
That blue and red so clearly
Define

A book? A Painting?
Your Homework? A Journal?
These lines are frightening, like a lion's
Gaping mouth, filled with
Sharp teeth of disappointment.
Even with numerous ideas, the space seems un-fill-able.

It's pristine and perfect appearance
Causes your mind to clear
Of all thoughts; idea and fear alike.
And as I sit back, still writing, looking
At the once unconquerable page,
I realize I have filled it.

I DON'T UNDERSTAND

By Katie Enos

I don't understand

Why school starts so early, and ends so late,
Why I get so much homework on days that I'm busy,
Why the bus rides so long,
Why all my tests come back marked as completely wrong.

But most of all

Why doctors cannot come up with an answer, of
Why we can't cure cancer,
Why wars are fought,
Why bombs are dropped on innocent people.

What I understand most is

Why the sky is the limit,
Why so many good people are timid,
Why devastating hurricanes happen on the coast,
Why I'm luckier than most.

FINISH THE RACE

By Katie Enos

Life is a race, but not around one.
Shouldn't go full circle, in the end.
You got to run through the trees,
and touch all the leaves
Feel the breeze running through your hair

'cuz life can't be real. It's Just a dream.
Just a miracle that we never seem to believe.
Come with me.

You're starting to get tired, but you can't give up now.
Who's to start something they can't finish.
Doesn't matter if you lose, if you come in last place
As long as you finish the race!

'cuz life can't be real. It's Just a dream.
Just a miracle that we never seem to believe.
Come with me.

You got nothing left, nothing left to give,
but yourself, and all your heart.
Take a breath, you're not done yet,
and Baby if you have to crawl on your knees Finish the Race!

'cuz life can't be real. It's Just a dream.
Just a miracle that we never seem to believe.
Come with me.

DEATH

By Katie Enos

Death is like that moment
right before Sunset.
At first it's dark, and scary,
and you feel utterly alone.
But slowly, as the sun rises,
you come to the realization,
that death is just another
form of life.
And what you left behind
is only temporarily lost.

THE FOREST

By Katie Enos

Leaves, billowing about softly,
Pine sap, thick throughout the forest,
Winds whistling gently around me,
Rough bark beneath my fingers,
Dinner, hot and fresh wafting from the window,
I'll stay here forever.

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LIKE A FLAME

By Katie Enos

(One Piano Verse Beforehand)

Verse 1:

I'm like a flame; don't like to stay,
all in one place.
The slightest winds, might come
and blow, me all away.
I'm like a candle in your
window only seasonal.
With turning time, you'll find
me packed and out of sight.

Chorus:

*Look to the sky, you'll see me,
watching over you.
I find it hard to let go of
my own demise.
I'll grieve my death on my own time;
I'll find a way to make it
through the day.
I'm like a flame. (x3)*

Verse 2:

I'm like a vapor in the air,
I'm hardly visible.
You cannot see me,
please believe me, I can't speak.
I'm like the heart, a stronger vein,
that can't be broken.
I feel no pain, I cannot cry,
but still I bleed.

Chorus:

*Look to the sky, you'll see me,
watching over you.*

*I find it hard to let go of
my own demise.*

I'll grieve my death on my own time;

*I'll find a way to make it
through the day.*

I'm like a flame. (x3)

Verse 3:

*I'm like the sunlight on the water
and within the leaves.*

*I'm like the water rushing down,
the wind between tree's.*

*Not here for long, I cannot stay,
for more than one day.*

MISSION

By Katie Enos

Verse 1:

I know it's hard moving on,
From your Mistakes
Just stay strong, carry on,
whatever it takes
Don't settle for less than what you want.
Don't you dare give up just
'cause it gets hard

Chorus:

*Promise me you'll reach the finish line,
Keep your eye on the prize.
Promise me that you'll keep dreaming,
'till your satisfied.
Promise me that you won't be afraid,
To paint outside the lines,
outside the lines.*

Verse 2:

When life gets tough it's
easy to lose sight of
Don't you dare give up the fight.
Not when it's your life, at stake.
Let your dreams be your guide

Chorus:

*Promise me you'll reach the finish line,
Keep your eye on the prize.
Promise me that you'll keep dreaming,
'till your satisfied.
Promise me that you won't be afraid,
To paint outside the lines,
outside the lines.*

Chorus (Reprise)

No trying, just doing, no won't, I will

No Driving, just flying,

I'll get there still.

I know what I want

No such thing as wishing

This is my mission (x3)