

SELLY OAK SONATA (A Wedding Blessing Poem)

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The gentle motion of constellations
Is the element starring every petal
Beyond the silhouette of morning dews
The brilliance of stardust dances in the scent of the corolla

Against the dark
Splashes of starlight strokes through the delicacies of the blossom
Lovingly
As a stream might feel for its stones

A long and lasting story they weave
In the galaxy of silver
Diamond drops of felicity and serenity
Sparkle dreams of love
Flared in the blush of young maidens in love

From a distance miles apart
Tolls of church-bells ripple my mind
Like benediction
Sweetening the freezing air in the winter night in Selly Oak

Moved by the harmony of two hearts
Beating as one
I write under a pool of lamplight
A poem that mirrors the locus of the souls
A dedication to my bridal-veiled friend