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Your Name is the Boat

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YOUR NAME IS THE BOAT

His name is the boat ...

—Mira Bai

I laze in a boat, my way in the wind's hands.

—Wang Wei

your name is the boat and I am saying your name into the wind's hands
your hands are a boat and my skin is the wind filling up your sail
I laze in the boat of your body my way in your breath's hands
our windy hands push our boat across our names written on water
I am the boat and lazing in my hull you are my way to lose my name
my name is the boat and you are in me and you are rowing us across
you are rowing me rowing me rowing me across to you
you are the oar and I am the water you row
your name floats on my slippery skin and disappears deep in my waters