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Two Poems



EYES

THE MIRROR OF THE SOUL
 WITHIN

I like blue eyes—
 The eyes of childish laughter,
 Of innocence unmoved,
 So big, and brave, and fearless,
 So full of depths unproved—
 The eyes wherein you find the matchless colour of the sky.
 Where dreams, and fairy castles, and endless things pass by.

I like brown eyes—
 Where joyfulness and mischief
 Are dancing all the day;
 Where ripple follows ripple
 In happy, careless play—
 The eyes that show the joyousness that always reigns within,
 The happy, care-free playfulness that knows no taint of sin.

I like grey eyes—
 Wherein the soul's deep beauty
 Is dim—and yet revealed;
 Whose matchless calm and sweetest peace
 Can never be concealed—
 Those eyes they are which show the endless longing of a soul
 Which, longing, finds contentment, yet never sights the "goal."
 —WINIFRED PONDER.

SPRING

There's a whispering, whispering, whispering in the trees,
 There's a low and gentle sighing,
 As of doubt to doubt replying,
 Like the full-toned cadence dying
 Of the dreaming autumn bees.

There is laughter, golden laughter in the trees.
 There is laughter, golden laughter,
 With an echo, rippling after
 Like to fairies, fast and faster
 Stealing through the love-warm breeze.

There is sorrow, world-old sorrow, in the trees;
 There is pain the all-compelling,
 Faith the bitterness dispelling,
 Wide-eyed truth her story telling—
 Birth, and life, are in the trees.
 —MUTA.



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