

Following the thread of our songs
the words, guiding
as we walk these shores
together.
The path, weaving circles around each other:
nurturing,
protecting the other as we
venture out.

We are braving this weather,
loving the rain
and wind,
looking for a life filled with
creative moments.
We search books of knowledge,
jump through spiral fires
looking to catch perspective,
little bits of magic
subtle as sand and powerful as boulders.
As we walk we search for gardening tips,
little ways to live together:
compromise, compassion, and respect.
We are tending the rich rich earth to grow in,
but our garden is a metaphor.
Today, we are surrounded by salt water,
so we stop,
and place our hands in the tide.

Hands In the Tide

This 1/2 page in the Edge is an expression to our community of our intent to marry. We generically thought of putting a wedding announcement in the big O but were still undecided. One night while listening to the KMUN pledge drive we heard that Billy would give 1/2 a page of advertising to any individual that finished out the pledge goal. So here we are, glad to support both KMUN and the Upper Left Edge.

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