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The Book of the Ones

Chapter Five

Sānu

Mum, they weep for the dead,

or for one who’s alive but missing.

I’m alive and you can see me,

so mum, why do you weep for me?