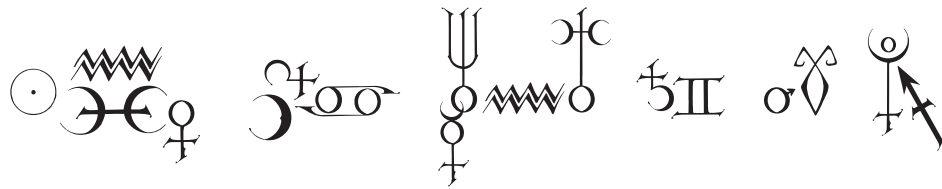


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Once upon a time some raindrops,  
Along the edge where the moon stops –  
Sandcastles melt into beaches,  
And you sail past word reaches.

There lived summer morning deer,  
In mystic farmland forest clear –  
Eyes filled with love and forgiveness,  
Surrounded by fern promises.

Now if you do your homework well –  
Study, say, write and tell...  
You never know in a story like this,  
You could get your favorite wish.

A dream only you could bring –  
The poem the water lily was singing,  
Of wheat fields prairie vision kind,  
Dancing with the wind.