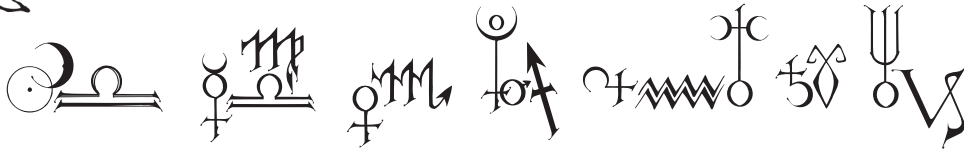


# Jade



**W**aiting in an autumn shadow,  
Half in twilight thinking tomorrow –  
When the cause to many looked wholly lost,  
By grace your choices paths crossed.

**F**or you equality has no substitute,  
True-to-your-self simply absolute –  
Scholarly/charming/altruistic,  
Existentially valuing the synchronistic.

**H**anding out joys friendship brings,  
Layers of love in your renderings –  
Telltale references/cascading allegories,  
Camille Claudel sculpted herstories.

**G**iven your honesty/reciprocity/heart,  
Premises matter/it's where things start –  
Our time together barely begun,  
Already never to come undone.

