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*Here something  
blooms; from out of a silent crevice  
an unknowing weed emerges singing into  
existence.*

- Rainer Maria Rilke

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