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Poetry

## A TRIBUTE TO MY MOTHERLAND

The snow-studded Himalayas are my crown,  
Standing erect on the vast blue I relish  
rhythmical waves thrashing my feet.

Diverse hues converge into me —  
Hindus, Buddhists, Muslims, Christians,  
Sikhs, Jains, Jews, Zoroastrians.

Fathomless loch of love am I...  
Myriads of pilgrims fly from far and wide  
to take a dip in its placid water.

Priceless pearls of my beauty and bounty  
lure globetrotters to my lap and then...  
I trap them with my abysmal love-bait.

Whenever iceberg of loathing raises its hubristic head,  
I blow my top and set fire to it and look!  
Philia floods me once again.

Haiku -1  
wolves howling  
new borns bawling . . .  
wind anecdotes

Haiku -2  
winter solstice . . .  
pinched paupers  
await godot

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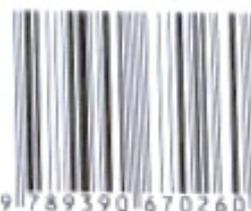
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