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Day in May

One warm day in May
I decided to run, skip and play;
I ran to the top of a tall green hill
And lay on my back, while the world stood still.

I watched the birds in the light blue sky
and asked God questions — how, where, why?
I questioned the clouds, flowing overhead
And realized in a while, this dream would be dead.

The birds disappeared, the sky became black
I knew that now I would have to go back;
Go back to the world which anyone can see
not the one that belonged to me.

This world scared me, gloomy and cold
Of this drastic change, I had never been told;
As if the world dieing — falling away
I turned my back — nothing to say.

— Janet Miller