Mermaids and Pomegranates

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radiant
crimson female fruit
tart and sweet to the taste
an eating pleasure
delicious red juice
tickles as it trickles
down the side of my mouth

a solitary rock on a deserted coast warmed by the sun and cooled by the sea in turn smoothed, dried and moistened over millennia

i wait patiently for you to emerge from the deep green sea and lay your moist body on my warm surface together in the sun momentarily comforted forgetting the stark, solitary reality of our lives

being with you deceiving myself that this brief moment could endure for an eternity

but eternity continues alone yet it contains/carries this moment

and all that was, is or ever will Be

i must resign myself to the reality of my existence between two worlds a sentinel on the edge of a limitless, deep sea knowing both watery secrets and solar mysteries

come
enjoy delicious
fruits with me
linger a little longer
recline and rest,
bask in the sun
on my smooth
warmed body
before you [must]
return
to the deep.

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