Leaf and Stream

Find myself beside a stream of empty thought
Like a leaf that's fallen to the ground,
Carried by the flow of water to my dreams
And woken only by your sound.

Alone I've walked this path for many years
Listened to the wind that calls my name
The weeping trees of yesterday - they look so sad
And wait your breath of spring again
Far beyond the hills,
Where earth and sky will meet again
Are shadows like an opening hand
Which hold the secrets
That I've yet to find and wonder at
The light in which they stand.