

The Unknown
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A small lizard on a boulder
looking straight at the sun's
scorching blaze. The day
continues to develop its endless
narrative.

The doves in the distance listen
to the bells chiming deafly.
Somewhere in this world
a dictator issues an order for mass murder.
It's not
just lies alone but simple truths as well.

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