黎明之城

你是否看见巨人们行走在 宽阔的红色土地上? 看到他们在天空下的 壮阔之举? 我看见他们走来 手里拿着小树苗 手和脚染成了红色 如同他们每天耕作的这片土地 他们的背上和梦中 承载着未来 我看见他们日渐智慧且深邃 当他们挖掘坚硬的泥土 当他们不断地为干裂的红土地忧愁水源 当他们弓着身 汗洒悲伤 当他们为了明日新世界的诞生 而在昨日力夺

是要体现灵动的和谐

你是否看见他们在取得胜利? 你是否看见巨人们建设在 高高的屋梁之上 承受着追逐至坚梦想的辛劳? 我看见他们在工作 在改变 在成长 在解决不完美的人性之难题 他们穿越生活所迫与失败 持续奉献 完成梦想 我看见他们在挣扎 在与易逝易变的时间抗衡 怀着深切的希望打开心扉 感受到充盈的爱而相信 鼓起勇气去亲手创造 一个鲜活的奇迹 从无名无形之中 你是否看见神之承诺在兑现? 在更加明澈高远之境 在这黎明之城的中心 觉知一呼一吸之间的安宁 体验超越世间的美好 拓展与彰显 人内在无极限的潜力 敞开渴求之心 成就命中注定的 奇迹

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Auroville

Have you seen the giants walking On the wide, red land? Seen them moving large and grand Against the sky? I have seen them coming, Tiny seedlings in their hands; Hands and feet as red As the earth they work each day, Carrying the future On their backs and in their dreams; Seen them growing wise and deep As they dig the hardened clay, Worry water from the dry, red earth, Bend their backs, Sweat out their sorrows, Wrest from yesterday tomorrow's Coming of a new world's birth. Have you seen the giants working In the quiet, secret spaces? In the kitchens, in the gardens; The world's forgotten places. I have seen them rise, emerging Out of ignorance and pain. Faith-sustained, they offer labor To create a new domain. A thousand tiny troubles Tell the story of their struggle As they strive to bring alive A long forsaken dream. In their hearts an angel-singing, Being's beauty widely winging As they grow to know the truth

Of creation's will to be A living harmony. Have you seen their victory? Have you seen the giants building High atop construction beams? Suffering the toils of their hardest dreams? I have seen them growing, changing, Working, working out the problems Of imperfect human nature Through necessity and failure With enduring dedication Consecrated to completion. See them struggle with the passing And the changing ways of time, Hoping deep enough to open, Feeling love enough to trust, Finding courage to create A living wonder with their labor. From the nameless, from the formless You can see the promise rising In the clearer, higher spaces At the centre of the city. Breathless peace, transcendent beauty. While the glorious expansion Of the limitless in man Opens wide the striving hearts, To manifest the miracle Decreed by destiny.

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