



I Will Not Die and Unlived Life

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I will not live in fear of falling or catching fire

I choose to inhabit my days.

**To allow my living to open me, make me less afraid, more accessible, to
loosen my heart until it becomes a wing, a torch, a promise.**

I choose to risk my significance.

**To live my life in such a way, so that which comes to me as a seed goes
to the next as a blossom and that which comes to me as a blossom goes
to the next as fruit.**