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By Haisten Bonner

On an average day, quirky messages fill the void Profound hospitality invites your rejection The feeling of being invisible is overwhelming You stare blankly into my eyes Sabotaging our trials unconsciously Probability shouts its odds loudly I can feel your shivering passion Your quivering arouses goose bumps I feel your pain, acknowledge your desire But get lost in the connectivity A vibrate away from vanishing Human interaction is limited to creation When will you see the obvious? Or am I just as invisible as the air you breathe?

Either way, the warmth released from your lungs flows over me Passes through me like you eyes You'll see me when it's too late End of story