

# Face

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I have seen your face.  
Others do not know you but I do.  
There was a time when you did not exist.  
You were not, but I was.  
Now we are, and I cannot deny it.  
You have stared into me and I into you.  
I cannot turn back now, for it is done.  
Your image is in me and nothing will ever be the same.  
For you I will live, and for all of you I will die.  
I have seen the face of you who had no face.