

DO YOU SEE ME? By Jan Cvitkovič

You were radiant.

Your body was enveloped
by a magnetic field,
which instantly sucked me in.

I was falling for a long time
and contently.

I was falling forever
and ever.

But I have everything.
Everything in the world.
Except you.
You pig.

And I did love you.

Stop it, I said! Stop!

Oh yeah.

Love.

Love.

Till the first blow.

Till the second blow.

Till the third blow.

Till the fourth blow.

Till the fifth blow.

Till the hundredth blow.

Then... no longer.

You're afraid.

Of life.

It doesn't matter anymore.

Teach me...

...how to die.

When I was a little girl, I dreamt
about things little girls dream about.

I dreamt about you too.

Many years before I met you.

I have to tell you

I felt great relief

when I watched the blood

that gushed out of your cracked skull.

That was the same blood

that was inside me

when you were inside me.

When I still loved you.