What lurks within the shadows
When the moon has risen high
That seems as black and distant
As the reaches of the sky?
And where does all the shade reside,
When the morn is coming nigh,
Is it blown away in a whisper
Of the breeze's endless sigh?

The shadows loom mysterious Reflections on the walk And when you go away again, Your shadow it will stalk. When on a moonless, cloudy night, You are alone, you balk For only the shadows know the dark They inhabit, graceful hawks