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## JULY

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july—

is a star too distant to touch,

trapped in the plains of future,

but in my dreams

i am an icarus astronaut —

diving head first into the ocean

breaking the surface in heat,

the vastness is tape-measured

with light and time —

"we are running short on both, captain!"

this tapestry weaves us apart

in all the timelines, distance creeps in butterfly effect is the work of gods july is uncharted territory riddled with monsoon on my skin, finally at home Journal of Literary Aesthetics Volume-7, 8, 9 (Combined Issue: 1&2)Year: 2020, 2021, 2022 **Peer Reviewed Refereed Journal** PP: 80-81

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Delhi glitters like brown eyes

reflecting the sun, i haven't seen you,

and i believe in your existence, and in mine ----

watercolours bleed into each other,

laughing, crying, trying

concrete hearts transformed

feather filled pillows we sleep

on, after all our long calls —

this month was a labyrinth

of restless energy