Nature’s bloodline

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Resumo do texto: short lines about the flowing rivers that are veins
There is thunder in my mind,
Storms filled with mumbled lightnings.
The fogginess from the woods fills me up
And numbs my feet and fingers,
But the blood in my veins runs
As aggressive as the flow of the wild rivers.
Wolves will howl when I pass by
For the moon and stars shine
Behind my eyes.
I was not made to be touched.
I was not made to be controlled.
I am a force of nature, regardless.
So I cross my heart
And hope to die.
(I survive anyway.
Nature was not made to be destroyed)