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Abstract

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KA

by Dwight E. Humphries

I fear nothing
In this life or
The next if I'm
Allowed judgment to
Become as Osiris;
My ka existed before
This body was born;
It is eternal and
Goes with me.

I do not defile myself,
I think on my shady double
And am led to do right;
Harm no one, live in peace
With family and society.

Ka is a flame
Which purifies my body
And innermost mind—
It brings peace,
The peace of the tried
And found not wanting;
I am kept clean by it.

Ka will go with me
Into the Land of the Dead,
Home at last
In the sacred river
Whose waters are eternal.