

Drabble : Senior

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Cloud

I was a cloud, coming to earth from the heavens, a delicate snowflake, pure as a blank sheet of paper.

They shaped me, changed me, then changed their minds.

I was ploughed over.

Melted, carried away by gutter water. Thrown carelessly among the waves, just another droplet in the rhythm of rise and fall, rise and fall.

The shoreline fades.

We rise and fall.

The sun's warm rays welcomed me home. No longer bearing the weight of the world's oceans, no longer a part of them.

I kept rising, a white wisp returning home to become the most beautiful cloud.