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"Dear, close the windows, the rain's getting inside."

"Oh I can't do that. Not while our song is playing."

"Is it? I can't hear it..."

"Maybe if you came nearer?"

(walks towards the window and the lovely silhouette dimly illuminated by the street lights)

The sky has completely covered itself with its gray starless cape; the streets are muddy and dirty; behind a corner two lovers share one last kiss before parting ways, one of them leaves and slowly dissolves into the heavy rain and dense fog; dogs bark in the distance; a gentle breeze brings the smell of wet grass to the room and fills it with memories - memories they both shared only with the wind. Slow, placid notes from a piano find their way between the raindrops to the couple inside, the humidity has turned the melody sultry.

"Shall we dance?"

"Last time I stepped on you five times!"

"Nevermind that, the distance between us is far more unbearable."

"Well, then it is my pleasure."

And so they danced around the candlelit salon, fireplace crackling till it was nothing more than sleeping embers. Lost in the melody and each others eyes they danced, through the days, the rain, the years - for their souls lived together in a piece of eternity.

