

Distractions

it's something else

The Monkey L:

Punishing the mind,
All of the time,
And my thoughts,
That rely,
On the line,

Of my thoughts,
As they rush,
To become images,
Deep inside,
Comprehension sought,

Among a paradox,
In our lives,
That begs the question,
Of our life,
In the box,

That closes in,
And expands,
In Time,
With
My thoughts,
And sins.

Craig Foye

Untitled

On the river side
Looking to see what I might find
I step to the edge
relinquish my control
as I go in to feel
the river flow

As I feel the water over me
It seems to lead me into the surreal

I look for the bottom
and I look for the top
I keep on spinning
and I just can't stop

I'm moving so quickly
I can't find my land
I've lost control
and I don't know
who I am

Then I feel the drifting slow
It's so calm and peaceful
But nobody knows
How I feel

Jeff Hunter

Here I Am

Here I am!
Walking down a deserted beach front
noticing the only foot prints are those
of my own.

I turn and become mesmerized by
the blazing sun diminishing beyond the
crimson horizon, and tears sting my
eyes.

Here I am!!
Do I hear faint echoes of what could
have been, or do I hear my own heart
weeping?

Have I done myself justice in
following these paths I have chosen?
Simply another question.
And here I remain!!

I catch a glimpse of a bird soaring
on its vast solo mission and I question,
Am I envious?

No... For that bird, high above,
represents a part of me!

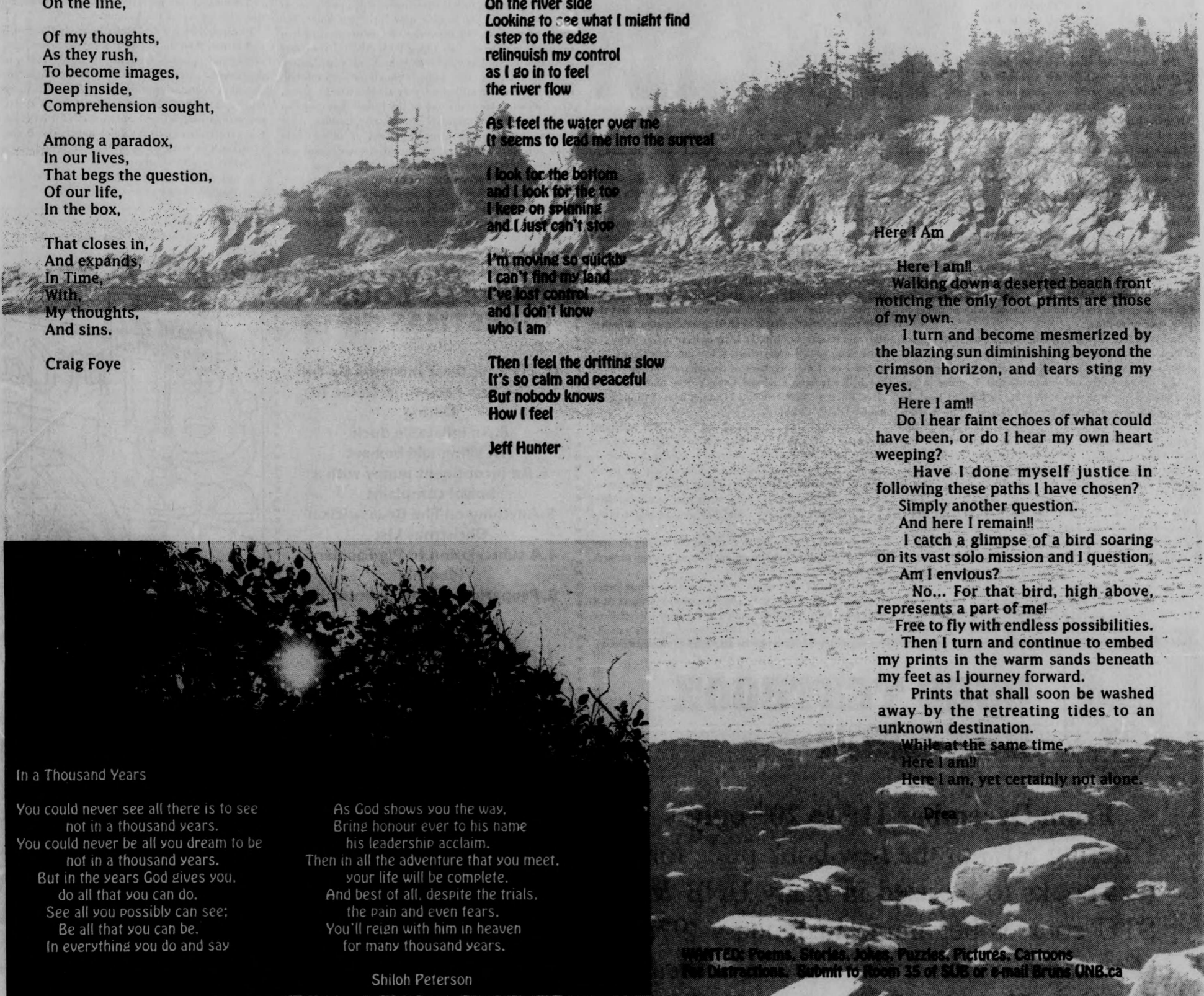
Free to fly with endless possibilities.

Then I turn and continue to embed
my prints in the warm sands beneath
my feet as I journey forward.

Prints that shall soon be washed
away by the retreating tides to an
unknown destination.

While at the same time,
Here I am!!
Here I am, yet certainly not alone.

Drea



In a Thousand Years

You could never see all there is to see
not in a thousand years.
You could never be all you dream to be
not in a thousand years.
But in the years God gives you,
do all that you can do.
See all you possibly can see;
Be all that you can be.
In everything you do and say

As God shows you the way,
Bring honour ever to his name
his leadership acclaim.
Then in all the adventure that you meet,
your life will be complete.
And best of all, despite the trials,
the pain and even fears,
You'll reign with him in heaven
for many thousand years.

Shiloh Peterson

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