

“Honey and the Hummer”
by Nina Serrano

The dog smelling the scent of spring
thrilled from nose to tail
paws itching to feel the glory
races out the open door
running through a field of wildflowers
Intoxicating smells and sights
wafting by its nostrils and eyes
leaving an imprint of blossoms in pollen
tattooed on its face

The humming bird
an ancient Aztec warrior
returning from a long migration
darts from deep throated flower to flower
in its territorial turf
Seeking sweet nectar to suck
Then lights
in the eyesight of the floral faced dog
in the eyesight of the floral faced dog



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by Barb Duvall