One Day, Someday

Hello World

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Human beings have not always been so curious – not thousands of years ago when they were first created by Zeus. Humans were monotone, drab, simple creatures who rarely ever thought a thought. Zeus liked humans that way, but his view was not shared by all the Gods. The God Prometheus had faith in the humans – and, in this song, he dreams of the day when they will think and feel for themselves.

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PROMETHEUS
     (Singing.)
ONE DAY,
SOMEDAY,
EYES WILL LEARN TO SEEK.
ONE DAY,
SOMEWAY,
MOUTHS WILL LEARN TO SPEAK.
FOR EVERY HUMAN MIND
BEARS THOUGHTS THAT LAUGH AND CRY
ALTHOUGH THE EYES ARE BLIND
AND THE MOUTHS ARE STARVED AND DRY.
BUT ONE DAY...
COME, DAY...
FREE THOSE THOUGHTS TO FLY.
COME, GROW THEM
AND SHOW THEM
THE SKY.
ONE DAY,
SOMEDAY,
EARS WILL LEARN TO HEAR.
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PROMETHEUS (CONT)

ONE DAY, SOMEWAY, HANDS WILL LEARN TO STEER.

FOR EVERY HUMAN FRAME IS NOT SOME EMPTY TOMB IMPRINTED WITH A NAME NO SOUL DARED TO ASSUME.

BUT ONE DAY...
COME, DAY...
BLESS THOSE SOULS TO BLOOM.
COME, WAKE THEM
AND MAKE THEM
SOME ROOM.

PROMETHEUS turns to the HUMANS again and smiles a gentle goodbye. The HUMANS understand and exit.

PROMETHEUS

(Spoken, to EPIMETHEUS.)
You see, Epy? They understand the soul... but one day they will understand so much more...

(Singing.)
ONE DAY...
COME, DAY...
SPEED THE SUN AND MOON.
PLEASE, COME, DAY,
COME SOMEDAY,
AND SOON.