

This piece by David was long in the works and meant to address levels within oneself, with a partner or friend, between groups, and between Jews and G-d.

Agony (Lament For 2022/5782)

We once sought each other
courting betrothed ever wed
Oh daily dancing

Soon anger followed
Hurt betrayal estrangement
Exile ruin grief loss

Despite seeming love
Accord trust we lost each other
Do we seek in love

Can we find and mend
Apologize Compromise
Is it too late

Had we not tried
Avoiding hurt forsaking joy
No growth would happen

We need counseling
Not hate blame refusing help
Are you ready to change

Please now turn again
Toward not away in mercy
Is there any hope