### Ancient Language by [Hannah Stephenson](https://janicefalls.wordpress.com/2019/09/12/ancient-language-by-hannah-stephenson/)

If you stand at the edge of the forest

and stare into it

every tree at the edge will blow a little extra

 oxygen toward you

It has been proven

 Leaves have admitted it

The pines I have known

 have been especially candid

One said

that all breath in this world

 is roped together

that breathing is

 the most ancient language