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Motion In Stillness – Joanne Dannenhoffer

Her eyes intent on mine are rimmed with tears I meet her gaze, wondering if my own fear shines through.

Breath

My words hang heavy in the air And in the silence of my office I can hear the tiny crack in her world.

Breath

I lay my hand on hers, and she squeezes my fingers gently The clock ticks loud in the silence.

Breath

In the silence, in the stillness, we two sit My heart open and pouring out Her whole world tips upside down.

Breath

The world clicks back into place and time moves again. Laughter in the hall, her phone buzzes And the stillness is broken But the motion persists

And still we breathed.