

Finding Courage

It is not the absence of fear,
That makes us brave;
Nor is it the will,
To put the next foot forward.

It is not the hope,
Of a brighter tomorrow;
Or even the faith,
In unfolding Truth.

I do not think it is
The love of those we hold dear;
Or even love of life itself,
That makes us brave.

I think perhaps,
It is that we
Are such small beings,
In this vast array
Of all that is...

And as the unenlightened self,
So ephemeral and alone,
We know so very, very little.

About what truly is.