

Without

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I have been a tree since I've been a girl
I've been a fish since I smelt the sea
I've been in love since I felt the earth spin round
I have been

I have been at a loss since I left the room
I've been in denial since I saw my shadow
Dance without me moving

I have been a tree
And I shed my leaves
I've been a girl
And I've been a tree

I have been off-course since we set to sea
I've been a fool since I believed in you
I've been rootless without rain

I have been a tree
And I shed my leaves

Rootless, I am a tree
That wanders from place to place
Knotted heart
And stumbling
She drops pollen
In places she'd like to return

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