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**Destination is an illusion.
And there is no goal.**

**Lacking a heart,
yet you can hear a beat.**

**Vaguely perceived.
On the journey.**

Right: I am on the move.

Only in absolute silence. Not

void.

**Aimlessly, always just away. Away
from the fusion of two giants.**

longer than a heartbeat.

**Drifting through countless
encounters.**

Into the nowhere.

Earth, nudged by me.

Carrying the message of this

The whole planet.

giant explosion.

Lighthearted disturber.

Audible, and yet unheard. Or not?

Yielding minimal changes

Knowing, there might be any soul.

in spacetime.

From the sound left behind by the first ever recorded gravitational wave as it rushed through near-Earth spacetime, four musically pieces emerged that now travel behind this wave. This message from the collision of two black holes was named GW 150914 – scientifically sober, after its nature and our date. So it was in 2015 when a research facility called LIGO sensed and recognized the message.

To make the sound of the first ever recorded gravitational wave more audible, researchers amplified it and shifted its frequency slightly. In the name of science. In the name of music, the sound now revolves around itself, repeats, can be reinvented, and played with. The sound of the wave acquires a rhythm, like a heartbeat.

2015: That was nine years ago.

**Nine years – or as waves
call it: 85 trillion
kilometers. And people say:
To Sirius and a bit further.**

**It attains an earthly
existence, while the original
message never stopped to
visit Earth. It simply left
it behind, a memory in
spacetime.**

Gravitational waves are the results of cosmic events. They compress and stretch spacetime as they propagate through the vastness of the universe, originating from collisions or supernovae. These disturbances can only be detected with exceptionally large and extremely sensitive observatories, such as those in the USA, Germany, and Italy. The findings from their research are intended to help physicists shed light on the darkness of the cosmos. However, they can also bring peace to the minds of people who listen to them, allowing them to enjoy moments of universal silence while life relentlessly screams.

