
4. SAW THE SEA

Until I saw the sea
I did not know
that wind
could wrinkle water so
I never knew
that sun
could splinter a whole sea of blue
Nor
did I know before,
a sea breathes in and out
upon a shore

– Lilian Moore

Glossary

wrinkle make creases in **splinter** break a small piece off a larger piece **breathes** takes the air in and out

Comprehension

Answer these questions.

1. What does the wind do?
2. What did the poetess not know about the sun?
3. How does the sea breathe?

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Sceitnsits hvae dsicveored taht the hmuan biran is so ueds to raednig taht it deosn't mtater waht oredr the letetrs are in, as lnog as you mkae srue the frist and lsat ltteers are in the rhgit pclae. Tihs is bcuease we raed the wlhoe wrod, rthaer tahn ecah ltteer. In fcat, eevn thguoh the mdilde leettrs are jmulbed up, yuor biarn is pobrbaly cveelr eognuh to raed tihs wouthit too mcuh truolbe.