

SELECTED BY  
DR. RICHARD GILBERT

「草枕」大賞  
(Grand Prize)

Two light beams shining  
where there were once Twin Towers—  
my son, my daughter

Jack Galmitz (U.S.A.)

地下水都市・熊本賞  
(Kumamoto 'City of Artesian  
Waters' Haiku Award)

The paper lanterns  
Float along the river course  
Till the spirits drift.

Leony Santoso (Indonesia)

特選  
(Second Prize)

twilight  
the shadows  
overshadowed

Rafal Zabratynski (Poland)

sea fret  
the unison call  
of cranes

George Swede (Canada)

binary star —  
the cat's eyes

Julie Bloss Kelsey (U.S.A.)

in the spotlight  
of Indian summer  
a stump in the forest

Michael Lindenhofner (Austria)

quiet night  
in every flower  
its part of silence

Zeljko Funda (Croatia)

Moonlight  
the illusion of being  
alone

Rees Lynne (France)

Knowing one among miles of white crosses

Paul Pfleuger, Jr. (Taiwan)

Tulips.  
Morning at the folds  
of red.

Friebel Volker (Germany)

入選  
(Third Prize)

firefly  
too brief to read the name  
on the grave

William Cullen Jr (U.S.A.)

thunderhead  
after a while  
lion's head

Sadao Ishiyama (Japan)

Winter window  
a finger is drawing leaves  
on the frost flowers.

De Bie Meeus Maria (Belgium)

one lightning after another—  
the dog is barking  
at its own shadow

Livia Sfaraila (Romania)

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DR. MORIO NISHIKAWA

入選  
(Third Prize)

so much motion  
just to stay in one place --  
hummingbird

Brenda J. Gannam (U.S.A.)

Yellow leaves  
the autumn stalking through  
the door ajar

Zlata Bogovic (Croatia)

in moonlight  
star-sown lake  
slumbers

Elsa Penela (Argentina)

秋夜紗窗暎  
案前閑坐聞雨声  
他鄉作故鄉

Li Mozhu (Japan)

Knowing one among miles of white crosses

Paul Pfeuger, Jr. (Taiwan)

a small lonely snail  
is glad and crying for rain  
on a hydrangea

Yusuke Fujikawa (Japan)

Summer night drinking--  
the disorientation  
of a moth

Ynyr Lloyd (U.K.)

empty fishing net  
fishing boat slowly  
moving stars apart

Boris Nazansky (Croatia)

rosebud  
inside  
a private garden

Scott Mason (U.S.A.)

spider's web  
far as I can tell  
it's perfect

Ian Willey (Japan)

ghosts in the veins the curlew-called wind

John Barlow (U.K.)

Etruscan frogs croak  
of the river's loneliness  
ancient songs of love

Doc Drumheller (New Zealand)

the morning star winks  
vying for some attention  
a starving child dies

Phillip Donnell (New Zealand)

winter walk  
with the white winds  
my wild will

Dietmar Tauchner (Austria)

winding down  
like the starry universe  
all of me

William Hart (U.S.A.)

The moon's twins--  
born at midnight  
in the owl's eyes

Branislav Brzakovic (Serbia)