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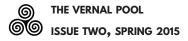
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What Remains

A mother with wet cheeks holds her child. Her blood was his blood. His tears were her tears.

The thunder of bombs and storm of bullets couldn't decimate prayers. Heads to the floor *"Allah hu akbar"* echoes among demolished columns of the mosque, pale corpses, and stains. A girl holds the bloody hand of her best friend.

Death shepherds any age.

Ten years old -watching his mother with moist eyes hold his younger brother -the translucent child whispers, *Let's move on from this burning*

Palestine.