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imagine a future where your story never ends, biosphere
and technosphere merge, cybernetic wilderness surges
over the Earth, implanting joy into spiderminds,
bioinorganic bundles

lacing among fungal mycelia, singing to fireflies as you
gaze through their ommatidia, processing
insect sensory data in your distributed exocortex, you
find yourself caught on a cobweb, but your firefly has
nothing to fear, she transmits her soul into your orbital
brain and goes on living,
firefly heaven is a beautiful place,

perhaps you'll visit tonight, after you engineer novel
love-architectures, after you construct a mechanized
Neptune to write ninety-septillion poems per
attosecond, after you read them
all at once, after you climb Olympus Mons,
after you reconfigure your many bodies into flowers
with sensors oriented towards the
evening stars, you'll join your firefly in heaven
as you circle the world.