

Kokoro: lyrics

**1. Morning Prayer** : improvisation

**2. Shiva Adi:** traditional composition in raga bhairav, from the Dagar family. 10 beat cycle

*Shiva adi mada anta, jogata jogi Shiva  
Kanaka visha ami adi visha bhogi*

*Nabhi ke kamala te tina murata bhai  
Ina jane soi naraka hoi*

Shiva, beginning middle and end, world-yogi Shiva!  
Drinker of toxin and ambrosia, enjoyer of the primal poison  
You, the lotus of the naval, three astonishing icons  
Whoever knows not this is in hell

**3. Feathers Sprouting:** Original composition, raga bhairav, 7 beat cycle.

*When I was a serpent I knew how to shed my skin,  
Now I am an eagle, feathers sprouting from within  
Underground in slumber, underground I grow my wings,  
Rippling with this feathered color coating on my skin.*

*Song of the siren, sung upon the midnight wind,  
Humble holy warrior, forging weapons from within,  
Song of many voices, mystery call me in,  
Holy rolling spiral, sing the soul song we all sing.*

**4. Spirit Serpentine:** Original, 7 beat, raga asavari. (Verse based on the mystical experience of cutting didgeridoos in the wild-lands)

*Spirit of the Serpent, come to me, come to us,  
Spirit of the Serpent, you and I are same,  
Spirit of the Serpent, die and be reborn in us,  
Spirit of Bliss, I call your name!*

**5. Night Melody:** improvisation

**6. Nada Veda:** traditional, raga jog, 7 beat.

*Nada veda so nyaro  
Kar dikha lave jo koi guni  
Tab ham jane mane*

*Nada te ashta dikhahiye nada veda soi bheda  
Tije anahata nada ko bahisa shruti pahachana  
Taba hama jane mane*

[translation unsuccessful]

**7. Dream it All** : original, raga jog, 8 beat

*Oh, you can run with me a while, we will live our life in style,  
But I will say goodbye again, when my tall ship launches to sea.*

*Oh, you can drift with me a while, we will watch the setting tide,  
Watch the dance of the sun and rain and the albatross that cuts through the sky.*

*But oh, my dear, my path ahead is clear, and though your company be sweet,  
I will kiss your lips until we meet again, on the edge of another dream.*

*Dream, dream, dream it all, awaken your sleeping soul,  
When she awakens, cut free from the dream.*