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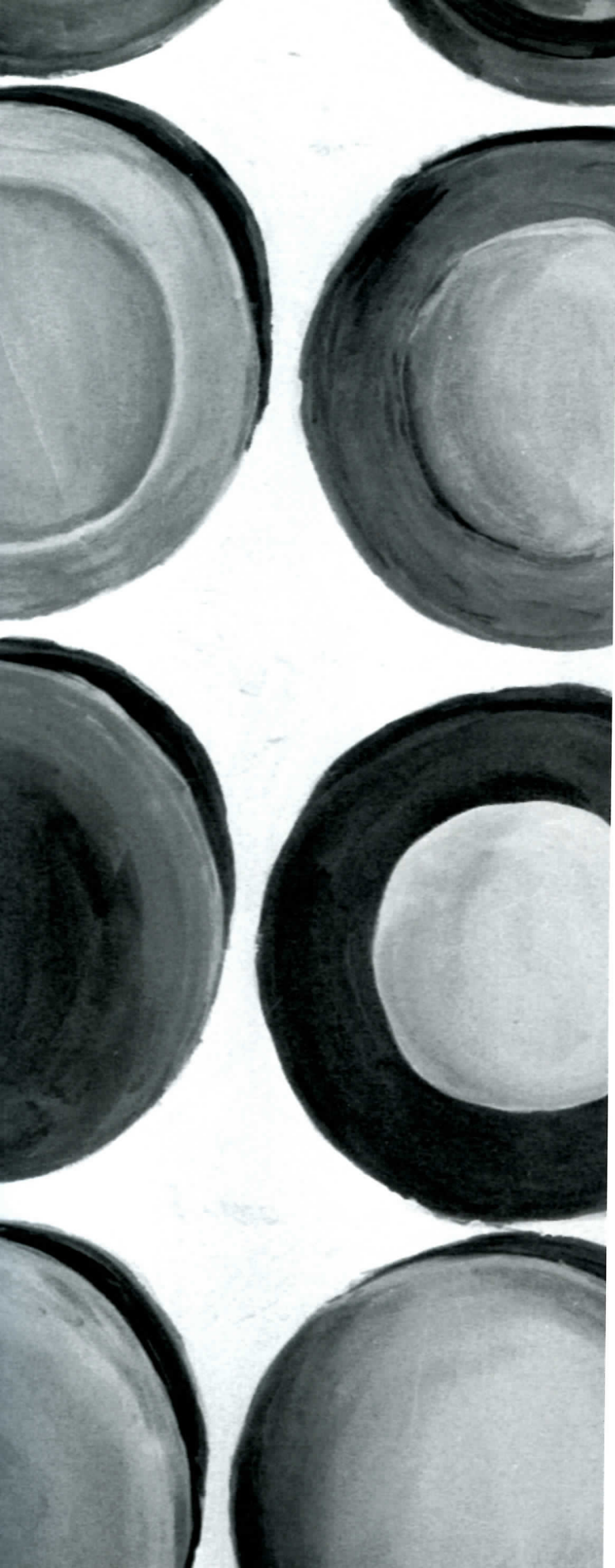
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## **I Knew of Love**

*Kelly Schmidt*

I knew of love once a long  
time ago  
When my heart was  
inexperienced  
And my body didn't know  
My innocence was taken  
from me  
By a hand who locked  
the cage  
Revealing all his lies and faults  
A subject to his rage  
His love is never ending  
So a voice inside me said  
Even as he lied to me  
Wishing I was dead  
My soul cried out in agony  
As if turned to dust  
Weeping in sweet misery  
A prisoner to his lust  
My heart forever darkened  
My body couldn't flee  
As a slave held prisoner  
Never to be free.