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The 2nd edition of Cyriades' poetry book Moonlit Journey now available!

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Please join me on this quest through dark passages – yet there are rays of hope throughout as we seek paradise. First we must embark upon a gritty, dimly lit poetic journey through the dark hour, looking for the new dawn. Once we have found this new hope, we must stay true to the path and finish our quest. We ultimately find ourselves on a grim, fateful journey through the horrors of night, only to find tales of fantasy and hope at the end. The dark passages within this book contain a range of poetic and prosaic writing styles in one compilation that is thick with liminalism and imagery. A sample poem -

Farewell Party (Leaving the Old Church)

The ravens on the roof
 Stand guard like gargoyles -
 These grim feathered ghouls
 Perch atop the once proud passages
 That they now pretend to own,
 And sing a sad a cappella
 In mockery of memory.

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You may freely view and download the book over at its homepage -

<http://www.moonlitjourneypoetry.com>

Moonlit Journey is also available as a beautiful, professionally printed and bound trade paperback book, as well as a Kindle e-book. If you enjoy the book, and would like to support the author, please visit the Moonlit Journey Amazon page :)

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**About the Author**

The author, Owen Johnston, is a native of Lake City, SC. He is a longtime karateka and teacher with a heart of ninjatic love. He lives with two impossible cats and dates the most amazing woman in the world.

**Author's Acknowledgements and Dedication**

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This book is dedicated to Jesus Christ my Savior, and all those who have helped me come this far, and all of my diligent students over the years. God bless.

"In the way of righteousness is life: and in the pathway thereof there is no death."  
 - Proverbs 13:28

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