

Zangmo: Flowing Lines of Amazing Grace

They say: "The pen is mightier than the sword".
The artist and writer know this well.

A black, wet inky stroke on
snow parchment
white.

A blank stony slate
carved and coming
alive.

The human mind hidden
yet lines and forms
reveal its
depths.

Experience is also marked by lines
creased wrinkles on a
vintage canvas
skin.

Some profound, some shallow
Some pretty, some ugly
some good, some bad
Some.....

Beyond the mental waves and tides
Rests the vast ocean of mind,
unfathomable.

So, here's a toast to the artists,
poets, writers, and free-thinkers
who share the inner heritage
of our beautiful minds,
through sacred,
enduring
lines.

To the calligraphers of the inner sounds
who reveal to us the inherent beauty of
our sensual
strokes.

The loving, joyful, wise,
flowing lines of amazing grace;
of the silent sounds
without and
within.

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