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*[Who] am I?
I've experienced hundreds of injustices
Attitudes decide destinies
and he was ripped away from me*

*lifetimes of injustices
Young women with faces covered in dirt hide in cornfields
and they were ripped away from me
she began to cry, endless tears as if her eyes held oceans*

*dirt covered faces hide in cornfields
and sometimes, I dream of you
she began to cry, endless tears created oceans
please hold and tame my heart*

*Sometimes, I dream of you
the guitar strings seep into my skin
they hold and tame my heart
Con la música, te recuerdo*

*the guitar strings sing our song
our attitudes decide our destinies
Con la música, nos recuerdan
[Who] are we?*