

ALONE

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*When you're alone,
You are only alone.
Daybreaks don't matter much
They are just a change in the colour of your windowpanes.
Neither does the position of the sun -
it's irrelevant to you.
Watch movies,
Smoke cigarettes,
Drink Rum,
Toy with the world:
Stretch the afternoons like a dead chewing gum
Spit the toothpaste – half on the tap
Let your clothes taste some dust
Throw in the hall pieces of wasted paper
And stare at the pitiable fan that
rotates with a disheartening discipline.
Do what you want to
Or do absolutely nothing.
Since you're alone -
Nobody cares.
Because when you're alone
You are nothing but alone.*

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