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SELECTED BUDDHIST POEMS BY ANCIENT CHINESE EMPERORS--EMPEROR WU OF THE LIANG DYNASTY

SPIRITUAL EMPTINESS (Third of the Five Poems on the Ten Analogies)

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物情異所異
Material desires may be vastly different,
世心同所同
But worldly minds are all the same.

狀如薪遇人
Their state resembles faggots being kindled
亦似草汀風
And grasses swaying in the wind.

迷惑三界裡
Beings are trapped by delusion within the triple realm,
頁到六趣中
Flowing along and confused by the six destinies.

五愛性洞遠 The nature of the five desires is deeply entrenched 十相法靈沖 And imbues the spirit with the ten dharma marks.

曾淀妄所妄 All things originate from false thinking, 無非空對空 And will ultimately return to emptiness.