

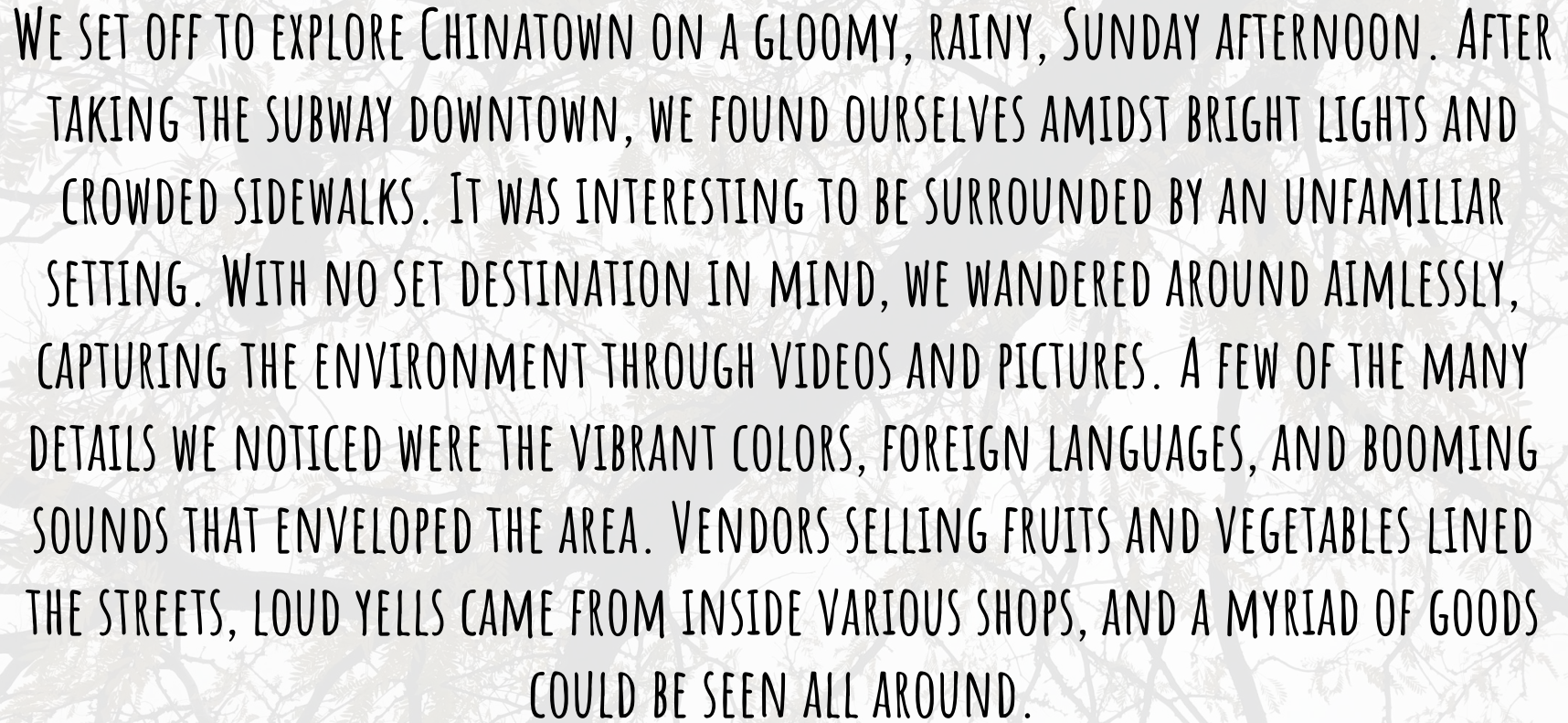


Chinatown

Bridge #4

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WE SET OFF TO EXPLORE CHINATOWN ON A GLOOMY, RAINY, SUNDAY AFTERNOON. AFTER TAKING THE SUBWAY DOWNTOWN, WE FOUND OURSELVES AMIDST BRIGHT LIGHTS AND CROWDED SIDEWALKS. IT WAS INTERESTING TO BE SURROUNDED BY AN UNFAMILIAR SETTING. WITH NO SET DESTINATION IN MIND, WE WANDERED AROUND AIMLESSLY, CAPTURING THE ENVIRONMENT THROUGH VIDEOS AND PICTURES. A FEW OF THE MANY DETAILS WE NOTICED WERE THE VIBRANT COLORS, FOREIGN LANGUAGES, AND BOOMING SOUNDS THAT ENVELOPED THE AREA. VENDORS SELLING FRUITS AND VEGETABLES LINED THE STREETS, LOUD YELLS CAME FROM INSIDE VARIOUS SHOPS, AND A MYRIAD OF GOODS COULD BE SEEN ALL AROUND.



RAINDROPS SYNC WITH HEELS
DRIPPING AGAINST FOREIGN
TONGUES
STOP, WATCH FOR PUDDLES

CROWDED, NARROW STREETS
SHUFFLING FEET AND HONKING CARS
RAIN HITS THE PAVEMENT

DISHES AND CUPS CLANG
FILLING THE TABLE'S CENTER
IS THAT CHICKEN FEET



DON'T WALK IN THE SHOP
UNLESS YOU PLAN TO BUY THINGS
"NO LOOKING AROUND!"

CLANKING CHAINS, MEAT HOOKS
LOUD PIG SOUNDS FILL UP MY
BRAIN
MOPED SCREAMS BY ME





LOUD VOICES ECHO
FRUIT VENDORS LINE THE SIDEWALKS
LIGHTS BLINK AROUND ME



STEAM BLOWS AND CATS SCRATCH
PLASTIC DOORS SHUDDER WITH
STORMS
FLUORESCENT LIGHTS BUZZ

FAMILIAR SMELLS

BAKED GOODS LINED UP IN CASES

CASH REGISTERS DING







I FEEL MY VEINS PULSE
EXPANDING AND CONTRACTING
WITH THE NEON LIGHTS

PICTURE MUSIC NOTES
THEY FLOAT LIKE CHINESE LANTERN
SWIFTLY DOWN A STREAM



