Holding Patterns





Against heaven's backdrop Planes approach the field Each must land On the same runway At different times

> You are part of A holding pattern: Pilot in command.

Instructions From the tower Separate you From other aircraft

Holding patterns Keep you distant From fellow pilots Keep you safe From close encounters.

Against earth's backdrop We approach "our" life Each must walk On different paths At the same time

We are part of A holding pattern: Neither in command.

Instructions From our souls Pull us Toward each other

Holding patterns Keep us near Physically, emotionally Keep us safe For close encounters.

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