

# Water Evaporates

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*The Wanderer*, [Yoram Raanan](#)



Water evaporates

Thank God

Else dripping swimsuits,  
Spilled drinking glasses  
And torn-hearted tears  
From here to Jerusalem  
Would make this slippery earth  
Impossible to walk  
For all but the remorseless  
Who, since water evaporates,  
Run.



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