



across the water

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a pier is a disappointed bridge
reaching out
from the beach
embracing its space
as it seeks the beyond

yet stare at it for long enough and
see it grow
and grow
into the great expanse
of the sea

you can dream it to the other side
of the channel
strands of dreams
dancing
across the water

you can see the je ne sais quoi
beckoning
enticing
full of possibilities
for the pier and you