Siam has become Thailand. Forests have become hotels. Islands have become movies. Cities have become factories. People have become things. That’s the country as we know it today.

A Promise for Siam is a search for the genuine essence of Siam by walking peacefully through forests, embracing islands at dawn, seeking humanity in the cities and meeting the hearts of the people.

The Mangoes
The monk shares his mangoes
With a stranger
I may now weep the sweet tears
Of inner peace

In our Haste
Phu Reua, Loei Province
in our haste
to find beauty

among mountains
we
did not notice the falling
leaves
the flight
of birds
the white
wings
of a silk butterfly

Morning in Lampang
Morning lifts
The colours
From the mountains
Splashes life
Into the faces
Of the sleeping children
Rice boils;
Life is sustained