

# The Gila

See the silver sliver  
Where the silver river  
Slips beneath the trembling leaves

Shimmer sends a shiver  
River's a forgiver  
Takes away the tears and grief  
Takes the tears of those who grieve

This rowdy freewheeler's  
A roiling concealer  
But you should always believe:

The River is the Healer  
A giver and revealer  
It gives life and brings relief  
It brings life and gives relief

River calls the songbirds  
Though their song has no words  
It's the timeless tale they weave

River, you deliver  
Because you're the giver  
Won't you take me, River, please  
Take me to the placid sea

River, you're the Healer  
Concealer, revealer  
And in you I do believe  
Roll on, but never leave me  
Flow deeply always through me

