When we listen, we open ourselves to new, joyous relationships with species other than our own. --Kathleen Dean Moore

Listen: Four Love Songs

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Be The Change:

Take a few minutes to sit outside and simply listen to the sounds of the world around you.