

when i think of changing the world
i think of endless pain in my legs,
endless mud on my hands,
endless scratches on my arms,
endless bruises on my thighs,
endless smiles on my lips.

while we are trying to progress,
we must be lifting each other up.
both feet on the ground, i will use my sheer
power.

i'll lift a small Vietnamese girl,
a young Syrian boy,
an old Israeli man.

to change the world,
i must first change my mindset.
no, differences between my skin
and my geographical location
will not interrupt my deep connections
with the most beautiful souls in the universe.

to change the world,
i must use my influence,
my reputation,
my pure adoration,
to raise those who cannot raise themselves.

do not look down on me,
i am much more than my youth.
do not discredit me,
because as a young woman,
i have more determination
than a chamber of 78 men.

I AM...

Gentle
Strong
Intense
Committed
Passionate

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