dú zuò yōu huáng lì tán qín fù cháng xiào 獨坐幽篁裏,彈琴復長嘯。

shēn lin rén bú zhī míng yuè lái xiāng zhào 深林人不知,明月來相照。

yi shi 譯詩

dú zì zuò zài yōu shēn de zhú cóng zhōng 獨自坐在幽深的竹叢中,

tán tán qín yòu yǎng tiān cháng xiào 彈彈琴又仰天長嘯。

méi yǒu rén zhī dào wǒ zài zhè yǒu shēn de mì lín zhōng 沒有人知道我在這幽深的密林中

> zhǐ yǒu yī lún míng yuè lái xiāng bàn 只有一輪明月來相伴。

The Bamboo Grove Pavilion

Wang Wei (701—761)

1 (Alone I sit in the shade of bamboo trees,) Alone I sit in the shade of bamboos serene, (revised 26.8.11)

2 (My strings I pluck, then long and loud I sing;) (My strings I pluck and along and long I sing;) (My strings I pluck and long and along I sing;)

I pluck my strings, and long I whistle, I sing. (revised 28.8.11)

- 3 Deep in the forest, no one knows I exist,
- 4 None but the moon, to me she comes a-shining.

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IN A SUMMER-HOUSE AMONG THE BAMBOOS

Wang Wei

Alone I sat beneath the bamboos' shade, And hummed an air, whilst on the lute I played, Unseen by all within the thicket deep, Except the shining moon that came to peep.

The House in the Bamboos

Wang Wei (701-761)

Inside serene bamboos I sat on my own, And played a qin and whistled long alone. In the woods so deep and least to people known, The shiny moon came out and on me shone. (Tr. By Fly-able Pen)