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­­Brave New World

If I offered an escape from reality,

Would you flee?

If I promised a world free of pain,

Would you become numb?

If I enticed you with solace from heartbreak and sadness,

Would you surrender love?

If I assured a world with no responsibilities,

Would you recognize the freedom?

If I proposed a high with no side effects,

Would you trust my guarantees?

If I assured you that you would never feel hopeless,

Would you embrace the idea?

If I introduced you to a place where you would fit in,

Would you welcome it with open arms?

If I swore to you endless pleasure,

Would you leave your cares behind?

If I gave you the gift of stability,

Would you take the risk?

If I granted you peace and tranquility,

Could you live without the conflict?

If I took away your suffering,

Could you live without the challenge?

If I liberated you of your fears,

Would you still stand for your beliefs?

If I took away your worries,

Would you brave the unknown?

If I offered you infinite happiness,

Would you accept?