

# SYLVIA KELSO

## SPAIN

Speak to me of Spain and I recall —  
Where was it, Lorca, Elche, Alicante,  
Anywhere at all?  
A shadow street,  
Geraniums red, sun on white walls,  
Green leaves, a palm  
In silhouette.  
And an old woman walking,  
Broad-hipped, all in black.

*Digame d' Espana, yo recordo  
Donde estaba, Lorca, Elche, Alicante,  
En cualquiera sitio?  
Un calle todas sombras  
Geranios colorados, sol  
Sobre los muros blancos,  
Frondosos verdes, una palma  
Silueta, y una vieja  
Ancha, andando, toda su ropas  
Negras.*