

Hanoi

by Red Starr

Hanoi,
My heart calls you
Home.
When you first
Welcomed me
I came
With so many notions
Of organizing,
Revolution,
Change.
You , Hanoi
Have been my teacher.
You, Hanoi
Have shown me-
Dialectics
In motion,
In life,
In the life of a city.
You, Hanoi
Kept me safe
And nourished
In time of global chaos.

You, Hanoi
Have shown me
Revolutionary optimism
Of true hope.
I leave you
A more committed
Communist

For you have convinced me-
A better world is ours
for the taking

