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To my parents, Lela and Dimitris, and to my sister, Ioanna, for *our* time

### The timelessness of time takes form in rhyme Conrad Aiken

On dit tout. Tout ce qu' on peut. Et pas un mot de vrai nulle part. Samuel Beckett