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shoulder pressed against window
again—
overlooking the parking lot

overhead
moon shedding silver sliver tears
and the night grinds itself
into a fine powder
which finally ignites with the dawn

I drive by your apartment
from time to time
but only echoes
haunt the caverns beneath
the live oak canopy

