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ABANDONED FARM HOUSE

By Margie Snowden North

Weathered gray clapboard shell
where birds nest
and pack rats cache treasures.
Windows gape like unseeing eyes
framed by sagging sills,
foundations crumble
in ceaseless winds.
The farm house,
dead or dying,
a ruining coffin being buried
by sand ridges
and overgrown weeds
in its own
lonely graveyard.



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