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Regrets

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No Traffic

Chanty Webb (Staff Nurse at the Engle Center)

10 minutes, light delays, no traffic
 GPS doesn't
 Take into account
 A crying jag
 That paralyzes me
 And makes visibility
 More impossible than
 Driving in a downpour
 The instigations of a selfish son
 Bent on gratifying
 His immediate needs
 Sending me into a tailspin
 Not to mention plans to go in one direction
 Only to get yanked in another
 By circumstances beyond my control
 That regulate my existence
 Because I'm his mother
 10 minutes, light delays
 Traffic conditions only apply
 Once I get out the door

Regret

Tiffany Oponski (Marketing 2027)

I stand in a green pasture filled with wildflowers.
 I am surrounded by my regrets, reminding me every hour.
 They lurk in the form of shadows.
 I try to tend to the flowers,
 but they persistently remind me of my yesterdays.
 I want to look toward better days.
Leave me alone.
I'm not going to postpone.
 It's always the choices you didn't make that come back to haunt you.