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leaves lie dreaming
in the grass and across
the street, brushing
broken bottles, colors
mute in morning light.

west wind cuts among them,
cold whispers taunt:
what once was.
they turn and twist
but will not wake--
a season of sleep,
a time to die.

crow on a wire calls
a hole into the horizon.
a chill across my jacket.
what will the wind
tell me?