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Titles to Poems Never Written:

“Gifts for the Ocean (No.1)”

“On Saturday”

[‘Sharing a Coffee with a Labybug’, ‘Sipping with Two Straws’, ‘Wings
and Things’, ‘The Night Water Rushed Through the Keys’,

‘Vision–Ventures Capital, LLC’]

“26 Days Until We’re Unwrapping”

“LHF: Paperback Peggy” (Long Haul Friday)

“Things”

“Thursday Afternoon Comics”

“My Samples of the Spreads in Haikai”

(plate 1):

“Holidays on Telegram”

“Sanctuary of Safe Space”

“A Milk, Honey, and Hot Baby Oil Bubble Bath”

“Flying Insects Trying to Escape”

“Who Made the Potato Salad?”

“Feenin’ for Fixings”

“Tougher Page”

“Regular Roast When the Roaster Boasts and Decaf After Dinner’s
Delight”

“Post Midday Matters (and the Happenings)”

“Tidal Wave of Some Sillies”

“Clap Your Hands on the Haikai (Instrumental)”

“Walking Off of The Set”

“Fourtunes”

[Whole Body Haikai Start-Up]

II. Shoulders Start-up

III. Elbow Start-up

IV. Chest Start-up

V. Hipbone Start-up

VI. Thigh Start-up

VII. Knee Start-up

VIII. Ankle Start-up

IX. Foot Start-up

X. Toes Start-up

“To Be Free (is all I see)”

“[For][Tunes] Magazine (Beats for the Odd)”

“Bob Belcher’s Cousin”

“What Will You Do When Poetizer Shuts Down”

“High Speed Machine”

“Pouring a Bowl of Cereal Containing Words”

“Motorcade of Maserati’s”

“Your Parents are Just Big Kids”

“The Mobile Phone is Soon to Take Flight”

“Emergency Eargams”

“Alone with my Thoughts”(part.2)

“Alone with my Thoughts” (AWMT.2)
 “Watching Paint Dry”
 “Roller Coaster on the Atlantic”
 “Stocking Stuffed (and Silenced)”
“Adrenaline of Animals When Snacks are Served”
 “Deep Space Disco”
 “Listening to 4 Pictures on the Wall:
 ’(North Face)’
 ’(East Face)’
 ’(South Face)’
 ’(West Face)’
“Turning the Cosmos Upside Down for Another Perspective Look”
 “When the Canvas Needs to Scream”
 “Provolone Prince and the Promenade Princess”
 “Lot #3776923”
 “Almost Blue (over You)”
 “Paper and Linen”
 “Should Be in Ohio”
 “Watch His Smoke” (He’s Making Art Again)
 “Throwing Cameras At/From Moving Objects”
 “Hide & Seek”
 “Focal Vocals”
 “Focal Point”
 “She Brings the Reign”

“Lumbar”
“A Happy Roadtrip Recipe”
“Wrong Turn Along Some Canyons in the Midwest”
“Stashed This Poem in a Cool Place”
“Store These Words in a Warm Spot”
“Save a Line for a Rainy Day”
“140 on 40”
“Record Player and the Vintage Camera”
“They Changed Once They Got Money” #poetizer
“Places for Public Publishing of Poetry Beyond Poetizer”
’The Scent of an Apple Seed’
’Life on the Haikai Farm’

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“Traffic Jam Due to Romance”

There was nowhere to go anyways.
Both lanes enabling traffic patterns
towards the heart of the city
were no longer in motion.
We had the interstates all to ourselves.
People, passengers, drivers, and hands-free
commuters, all of us were there.
Stationary.
Some Jammed.
Some smoked.
Some complained.
Some got out and walked.
A couple made a date event
through the sunroof.
They were the lead car.
The rest of us carried on highway
hustles.
Until our opening came and we were back
to our regularly scheduled stroll
to unknown destinations.

“Magic Fabric”

I asked for 6,000 miles worth of the stuff.

The total was worth two hearts, USD.

“What about the hat?”

‘This ‘n here? Gimme \$2850.’

“26”

‘2750– final!’

“Alright, here is thirty dollars”

‘NO! Get out!’

“What can I buy with \$30?”

‘This’

“I’ll take it!”

(A band–aid)

“Turnt UP the Moment with Thoughtful You”

Snacking on sweets from this couch.

Sugar High.

Mmmm, sweet sugar high.

And I wave ‘hi’ to the sounds
that are mystery and holding lights.

High five me, please!

Gimme some of that amplified
fried bass and drum sound.

MmmM, yes! Thank you.
I’m looking for my napkins.

Ooey-gooey deliciousness
ALL OF THE WAY UP!
I'm the sole reason the stock
price exceeded expectation.
Prime delivery remains
my constant rotation.
One day in.
One day off.
Two days on.
Three days in.
Two days off.
And repeat.
Flying.

“The Greatest Wish”

It seems to me, considering that
humans are stuck on this planet rock
with limited resources and other
valuables, the greatest wish
I could ever think of (outside of asking for more wishes, or money, or
crazy magical powers beyond Earth's responsibility) to have, obtain, and
completely master down to a science, is
the ability to receive anything from anyone at any time without any
hinderances whatsoever.