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*Alexander P. Garza*

Madrugada de domingo, cars stroll down Old Dixie Drive.  
Rubber to pavement, engines purring,  
reminiscent of the Gulf's chorus.  
December is everyone's favorite. My wife knits a blanket.  
Though he'll be here any day now, my wife is just as  
passionate  
about me as she was before she was expecting.  
She leads surprise attacks of love,  
engulfs my senses, endorphin high, glazed eyes.  
Gentle nudge of earth out of orbit for a little while.  
Memory creation, touch sequence formation.  
I tell her "you are beautiful", I tell her "you are pretty,"  
but these words are more than lacking.  
I tell her that "I want you", I tell her that "I love you,"  
but these phrases aren't ones that give these feelings  
justice,  
an elegance eludes them. The earthly won't suffice.  
She says that it's enough, to show it all through actions,  
entonces, continuare continuaré mostrando como te amo  
este madrugada de domingo.