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A musty monday clogged
With crying clouds weeps
Tears sliding down sidewalks,
Rusts hollow ocean
Holes in tarnished tulips,
Sheds aluminum
Foil skins of metallic
Mums.

Rhythmic rain ticks
Time away in puddles,
Dribbles drops as the
Broken bottle, the crushed
Cork and wrinkled words
Clatter on cement.

Down
The drain, unbalanced
Washing machines whirl suds
And blinds blink, wiping
Wet wiskers.

Angels
Bleed in swirling sewers.

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