

Long-distance

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I didn't phone last night;
you went to bed earlier
than me, and I stayed up
working and working
on outliving daylight.
We've both been tired,
and handled it differently.
But when we, 3000 miles
and 3 hours apart, pulled
ourselves from our beds
this mid-autumn morning,
I called you; laughing,
we woke up together.