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During her time in undergrad at Lipscomb University in Nashville, Megan rediscovered a love for poetry after taking an Intro to Creative Writing course. Many of the pieces she has written are inspired by her experiences maturing and growing in a city that she says is technically “not my home, but feels more like it than my real one.” When not working or doing school work, you can usually find her planning the details of an upcoming adventure or turning her apartment inside out in the hopes of redecorating it.

SUNDAY'S PRAYER

MEGAN PROVENZALE

let's count our bodies
one here
and yours there
my prayers usually
start with
i am sorry
today i smiled
at a squirrel
on a telephone wire
tomorrow on my knees
i will ask again
if i am good
sometimes
i don't listen
for an answer
sometimes without asking
someone
tells me i am forgiven
i wonder how
it feels to be
high up balancing
on a wire
not able to count
i wonder how
it feels to not be sorry