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The sky falls in a sheet of gray,  
washing over the tallest mountains,  
flooding the monotonous stretch  
that spreads into interstate,  
taunting me at every turn.

The Tempest squalls  
as the tide pulls at my tires  
and the torrent coats my window,  
despite my need to see  
the Toyota that I tail too closely.

This deluge of heavy mist and sleet  
sustains as I continue to drive  
into the mammoth, slick puddle,  
so I collide—  
a tidal wave, devastation.