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MAINTAINING THE PEACE

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It is dark outside.
The wind is calm and I
fall asleep.
I should have watered
the plants or let
the dog out but I forgot.
They'll be alright, though.
I'll do it tomorrow.
The wind is calm and
it's dark outside.
Someone just whispered.
I think there is someone
in my house.
I thought I locked the door.
Maybe if I crawl under
the bed, they won't find me.
Footsteps are getting louder.
I'm under the bed and
I see the shadows made
by the moonlight on the bodies.
Should I stay quiet?
I should stay quiet because
the wind is calm and
it's dark outside.