

The Way It Dimmed

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This is how I think about you
A parade of images I never finish sorting through
Your hands laced in my belt loops
I remember the fire and the way it dimmed
As a fire will sometimes do

Closer was never close enough
At closing time, we watched the lights and the sun come up
You begged me to stay
You fell asleep and I slipped away
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Flashback, your headlights across the lawn
You are the thing I'm always thinking that I lost
Your fingerprints are still burned into my skin
And I remember the fire and the way it dimmed
As a fire will sometimes do