

MEGHAN DUNN

I have to tell you I'm in love with possibility. The earlier I wake up, the more I see that I don't know. All the ways the light can coat this room. I never knew this deep rose, the way it comes around the edges and envelopes what it touches. Now, I'm out on the street and the weather is turning. I'm in the back seat of a cab driving over the bridge. I'm looking out over the city. All this was farmland once. All this was stolen. I'm interested in the way the ivy flattens itself against the fronts and sides of buildings. It makes itself beautiful even as it pulls the bricks apart.

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