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If I had a red sports car
I'd drive
it by, back it up,
Park it in front.
Step out casually,
and stroll across the street.
I'd straighten
my red sweater around my neck,
and
I'd feel
the change in my pocket.
While
I smoothed
my shirt
I'd stroll.
Then
I'd sit
at the bar, tap my hand and
They'd watch.
I'd drink,
looking straight ahead
or to my left through the mirror
to the chick who wouldn't be able to resist.
I'd light
a cigarette, drop too much change on the bar
and
I'd step
out to my red sports car.
It'd start
right off,
Then
I'd tip
my head slightly
to the left, look behind, and pull out.
And
they'd all watch.