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I love it how to find a lost book

I merely have to look away and then back

At the same shelf.

Missing a moment ago,

It now appears,

Thick, hardbound, full-color jacket—

Obvious.

The same thing happens with

Gloves, tools

(I love my mechanic dad's story

Of opening the hood of a customer's car

To find the wrench left there a week ago—

He knew where to look),

Gloves, tool, I said,

Coffee cups

(I'll not mention the clichéd car keys).

Think I'll turn right onto the next street,

See where I come out.

I'll find it.