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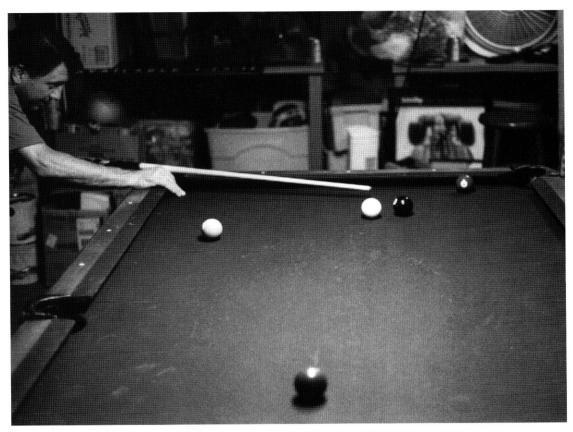
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I am an amateur...



POOL SHARK ALEXANDER NAVARRO

Amateur

VICTORIA LARRIVA

I am an amateur
I slap words against the page
Like a toddler with finger paints
There is sometimes beauty, accidental
But never grace
Grace comes with age
Grace comes with age and self-discovery

Grace comes with age and learning at a Master's knee
But I am arrogant, impatient
I will not wait for grace or age
I smear my words across that page
And read the works of my betters
Hoping, someday
To be half as skilled as they