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- Two worlds are at work here; one only partially true, the other obscured in rain and sleep everyday.
- Two fingers are at work here; one works at the knot while the other is numb and quiet.
- Two books lie open; one has nothing but blank pages, the other is written in a language no one speaks.
- Two cats sit in the window; one has its eyes open, the other never sleeps.
- Two women walk in the door; neither can hear you. Two men walk in: neither will answer.