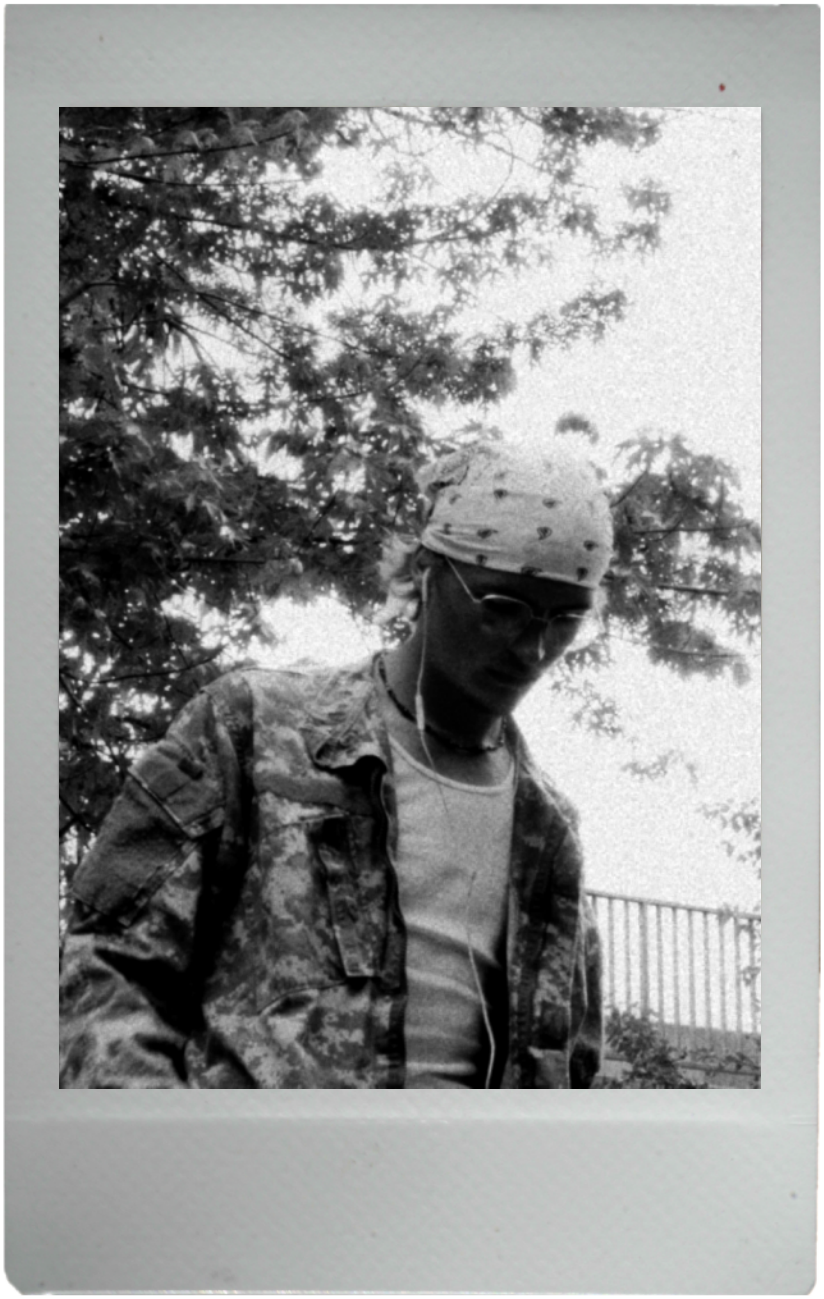
The Twenty Fifth Mile



By Owen Carswell

I spent most of the summer of '25 in my hometown of Boise, Idaho. I had more free time than I knew what to do with, so I found myself wandering around town, much like I used to in high school. This time, though, I brought my camera along to document the ever evolving landscape of Boise. Every time I visit, I feel increasingly estranged—it's no longer the place I grew up in. In part, I took these photos to remember Boise as it was before more change inevitably comes.



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The Space Between Letters
























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I didn't frequent skate parks when I was in high school, but as I sat and watched skaters, both young and old, traverse the park, I noticed one man in particular. A slightly older man was following a group of young kids around the park; they would skate off, and he would follow. I was willing to guess the older man was inebriated based on his demeanor, behavior, and actions. I often think about why he had the urge to follow them and try to be "overly friendly" with them. I wish I knew what was going through his head. Eventually, the police showed up and he ran off. I left shortly after.

It made me think about the concept of aging out of a passion — trying to hold on to a previous reality, pining for something long past.


ONE WAY







a lot of buckets like these in the alleyways behind restaurants downtown


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SKATEBOARDING
SCOOTERING
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INSTALLE








Feeling hopeless,












STRANGER


















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SPACE
BUTTON
FOR


















BEGIN
RIGHT TURN LANE
YIELD TO BIKES
WEST
RIGHT LANE
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TURN RIGHT
NOW OPEN
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Idaho Central


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Liquor
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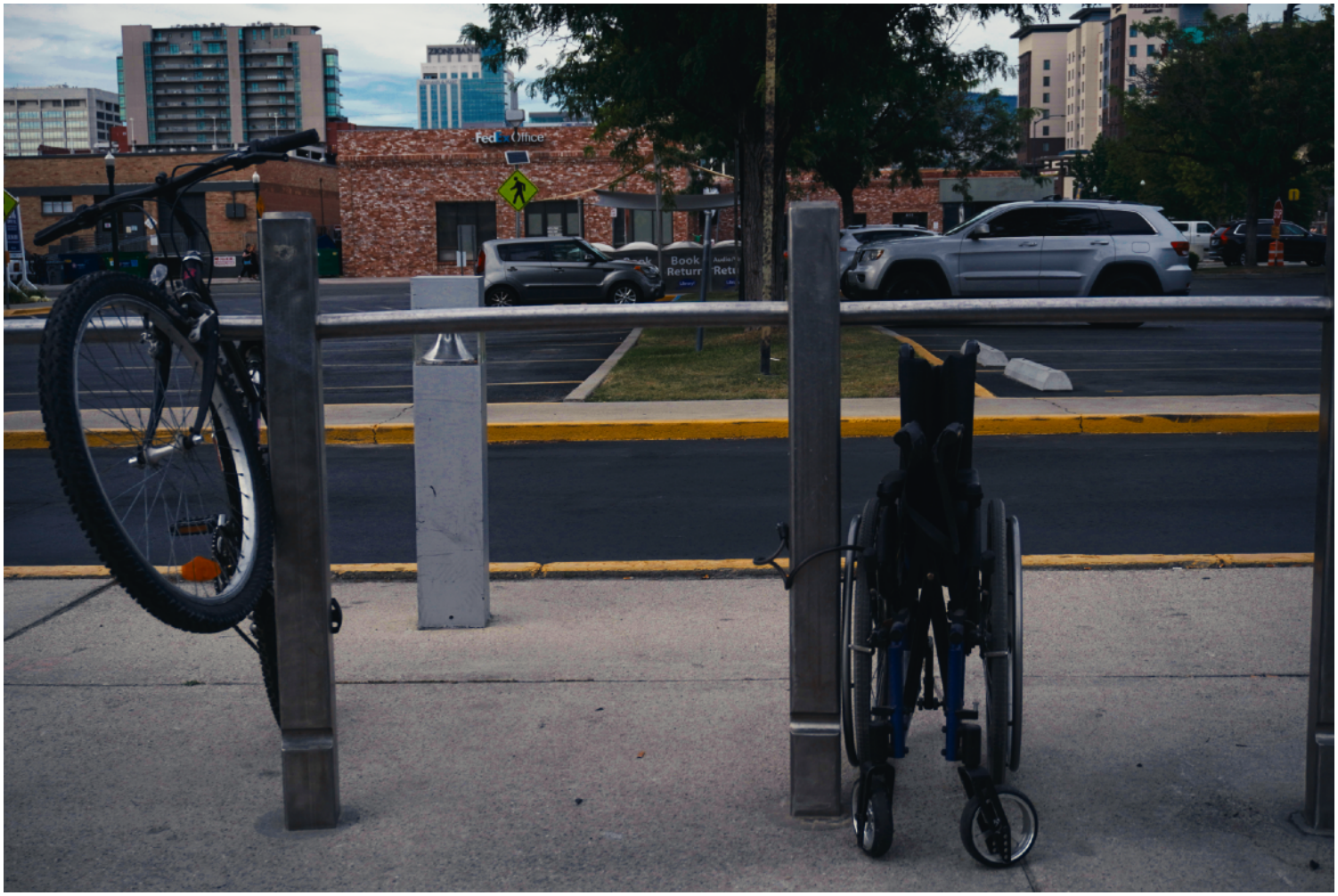
FIVE GUYS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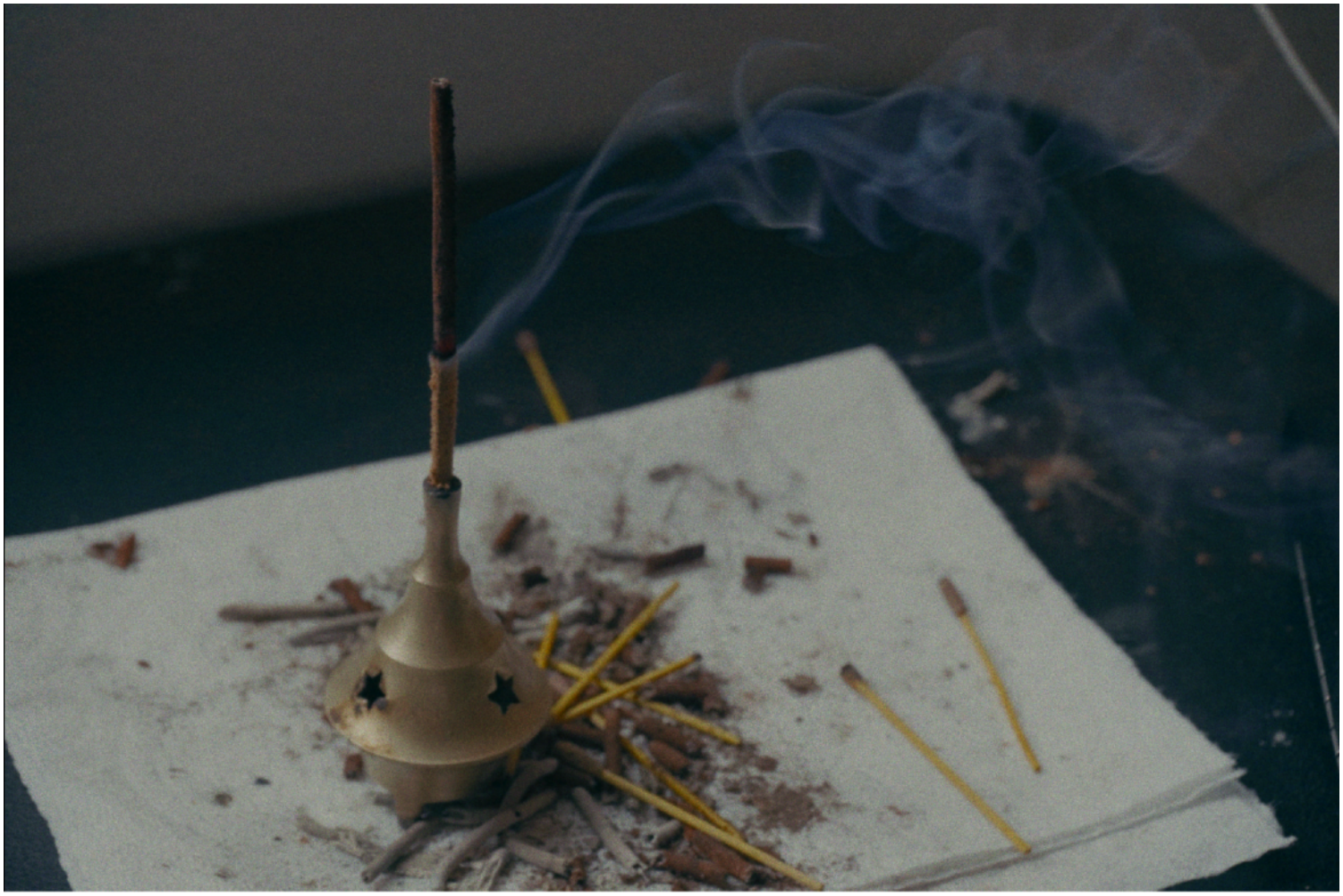


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PARK
DETOUR


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· BLOCK ICE
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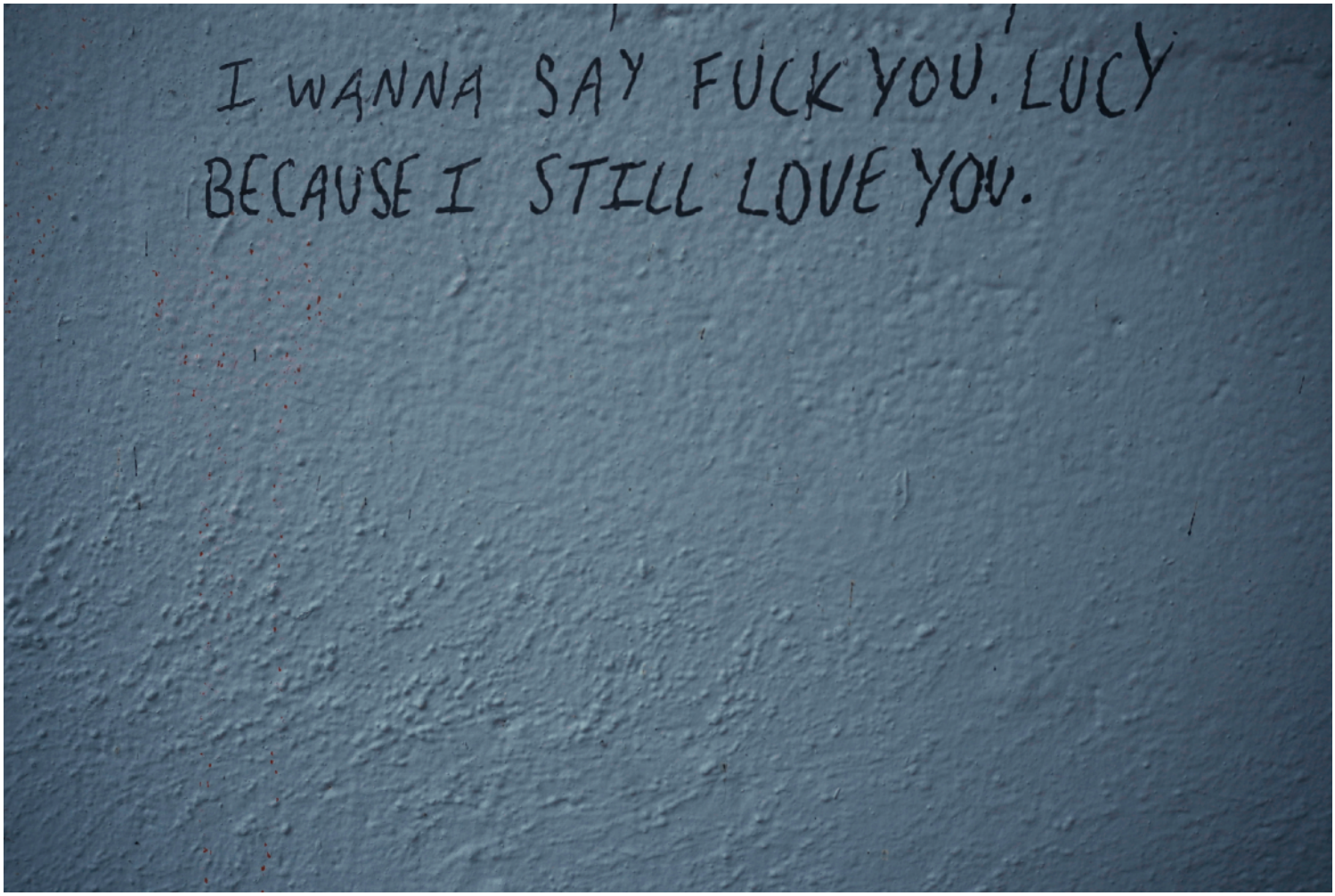
I WANNA SAY FUCK YOU. LUCY
BECAUSE I STILL LOVE YOU.






GUYS
and FRIES











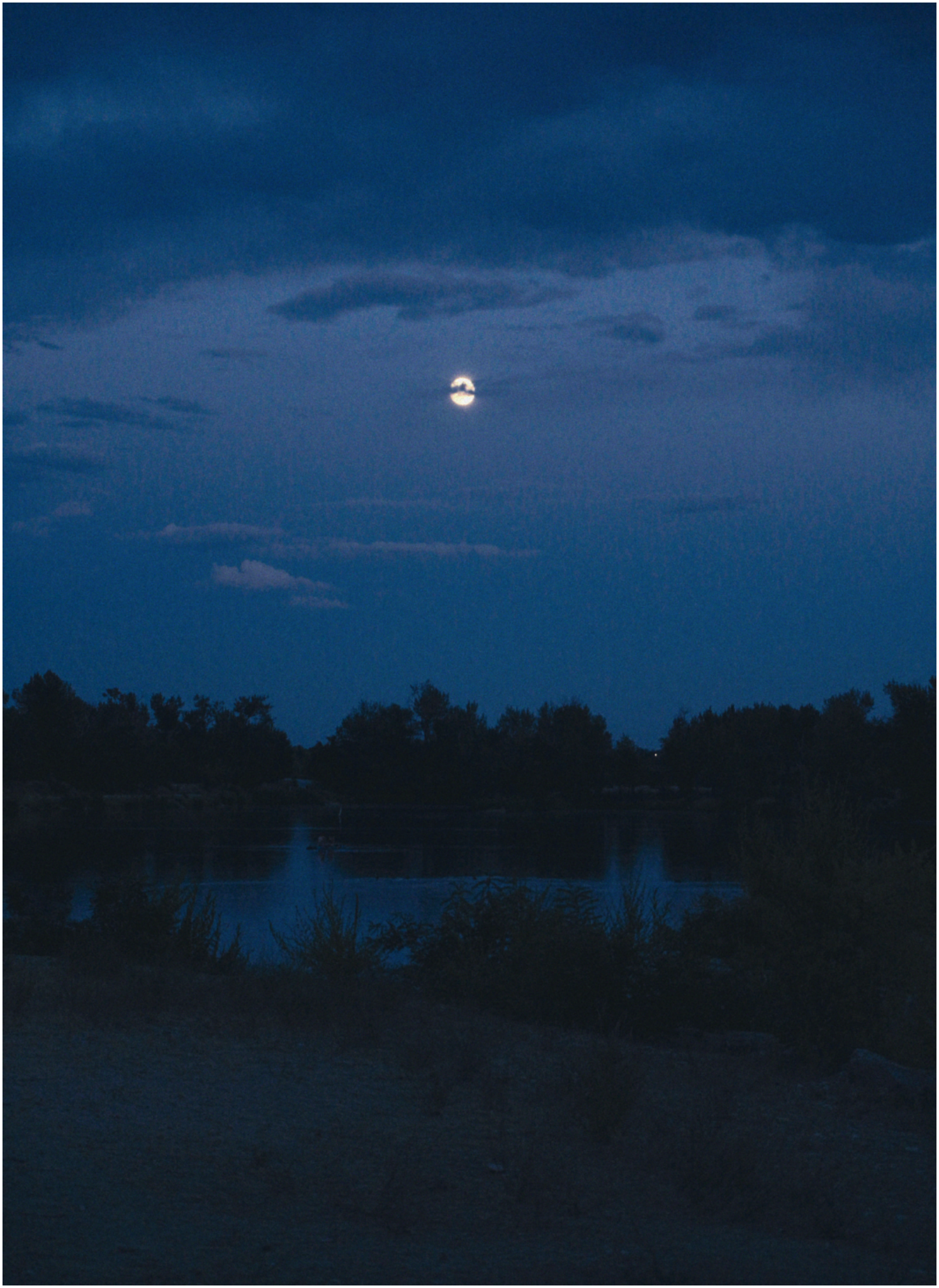







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OR
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MIND=LEFT








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CAR
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AWAY
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LEFTOE



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HOME IS WHERE YOU PARK IT



