Stopped

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I am reading page 132
Of a book I began years ago.
Tell me what to turn and where to do.
December is still caught in my throat
And into April air I cough:
I fly a kite while wearing a coat.
Turn green! I stand at your crossing.
My office awaits, briefcase handle
Squeaks. Come back from the commercial.
I've been to the fridge. I'm still starving.
Do you love me?