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The sky swallows the streets
wheat and mobile homes
dirt and gravel leading somewhere.
No highrises, no racket, other than the roosters,
Except on Plain Street,
Where twelve new two stories
with shiny cement driveways stand.
Grandma still doesn't understand why.

Someday Grandma will
take her bony arms
her squeaky voice and
holler and hammer away
at that "stupid cement."
She brings it up at
town meetings
but folks here are more worried about
what to do
with poor old crazy Thelma's roosters.

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