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SETTLING IN A NEW TOWN

It took Meg and Kim to mold
useless scraps of time
into a week--a month.
Worth circling in red, given
special designation, written
in my almanac. Like Sunday.
Or a full moon. Or 1996.
Before two friends happened
to me, my calendar
was a monotonous lottery
with no winning numbers
and April had no name.

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*Looking for
right on
what?
For Glenna
Settling in a New Town*