

Leaving: A Flash Fiction Zombie Story

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I move from the barricaded windows back towards our bed and kiss her as she sleeps. I've loved her for as long as I can remember but now I'm abandoning her when she needs me most. I look down again at the now-festering bite mark on my arm. How could I have been so careless?

Flash (or micro) fiction aims to tell a whole story within a specific short word limit. This was one I wrote for the Zombie Authors blog (<http://zombie-authors.blogspot.co.uk>), a site I'd highly recommend visiting, and it was first published there on the 21st of March 2013. The word limit for this story was 55 words and you can find the original post here. You can also download a PDF of this story can be downloaded from here.