

Lumbering

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Mercer Street, Lisbeth Firmin, 2000

Lumbersexual . . .

approaching from the distance

Gazing. Nearing . . .

Dusty work boots clomping.

Patined jeans hugging blue collar thighs.

Closer . . .

His interest still vibrant,

his gait purposeful

Steady jaw of granite masculinity

He and I, each on fateful paths

But alas–

Not gay, bro.

Not gay.

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