



## Wayne Gretzky

With the poise of a hungry cat,  
and the grace of a silently soaring bird of prey  
the fleet-footed centre  
dives for the net.

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## Last Play of the Game

ball  
cruising  
cuts the mist  
rain-coated fans  
roar at the halfback  
his wet fingers  
beg the ball  
pleading...  
score!

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