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Before the moment the plane soars,
The whirlwind adventure begins.
Tired from waking up at five,
And fighting security,
Pushy tourists and Business men.
Becoming compacted and condensed,
joining line after line,
the smell of humans and jet fuel lingering.
You can't stop just yet. Window, aisle.
You really don't care which it is,
as long as you can sit down. Now.
It seems that you are the only one,
who chose not to bring everything you
own in your carry-on suitcase.
A plastered smile on your lips, you mumble,
"Oh no, please, do take your sweet time."
Finally! He's seated, your turn.
"This is your captain speaking..." Crap.
Mechanical difficulties.