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Theology

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She kept the pain
under her left arm
between arm-pit and breast
to be her silver bullet
in case what she had thought was her
life's calling
had actually resulted from a
bad connection,
and she was doing
harm.

“Why didn't you come in with this sooner?”
“Why did you wait so long?”

“I gave it to God,” she offered.
“God knows what is
true.
If I am doing okay with my life,
God can make it
nothing.
If I'm not, it is there
to be used appropriately,
in His good
time.”

Nothing more to say,
she declined treatment.
thankful to her God of silver bullets.