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my temperature just rose.

i'm feverish right now, despite the coolness of the day.

i just saw you walk up my stairs and

walk quickly down again as if you were scared.

don't be.

i'd say 'yes' to just about anything if you'd just ask. just ask. please, just ask.

my temperature is subsiding.

you aren't walking up the stairs as i wait here.

i wish there was something in me that could

just will you to me.

Draw you north like a south-facing magnet i'd say 'yes' to just about anything if you'd just ask. just ask. please, just ask.

