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SUGAR ME DOWN

Candy between my fingers, sticking to
my skin. Snaps in my ear, surface kissing
surface. Even when I scrub it clean, there
you will always linger. We are a lot

alike, two tasty toys. Come get a piece
of me, honey. I'll swim in your viscosity.
I want that cotton candy mane in my
face, sugar melting on my tongue. Sweet breath

of yours I breathe. In this dry desert, it
might rain. You've got me soaked, you're like syrup
on me. I try to wash my skin, but sweetie,
you're stuck to me. Your caramel voice,

I can't resist, the savory have left me
unsatisfied, and I want something sweet,
sugar. I'll stick to you and you'll stick to
me, skin on skin, surface kissing surface.

MADLINE JEFFERIES

