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it was the pretty and the pleasure
the perfection to measure.
every inch
every hair
every stroke of paint on my face
was all an effort
to be loved.

i thought that if i had glowing skin
and you could see my ribs
no wrinkle
no stain
no reason to change
that it would be enough
for You to stay

so i sacrificed the chocolate i loved
and ate like a child.
went the extra mile
did another set
drank the pills
hoping it would
make me beautiful to You.

and as it hurt, and I felt the pain
of what it cost to be her,
i lost my soul
and the will
to live another day
and i watched me break
into a million pieces.

but the more i walk with You
the more i see
Your grace
Your gentleness
is holding onto me
no need to strive for that love
because i found it in You.

You fed me Your love
and because of it i am full.
it is sweet
it is soft
it is all i need.
so don't let go of me
because in you i am finally free.