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Abstract

so i stroked your hair, and you knew . . . thought you were asleep. thought beer and oblivion held you, securely protected from knowing so i stroked your hair, and you knew all the time...

And I don't want to consider whether you will ever call again. I am so tired of the clatter of this machine. I want to stuff all this back into the pit it has grown out of and fill the bottomless abyss with cement.

Telephone time is past. The phone did not ring and part of me feels so awful because I know I am the reason that you feel awful tonight too.

I hope you are saving your pennies and nickels for one of those vacations in the Bahamas. Or Florida. Somewhere that it is never cold.

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