In My Mind

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I can practically see you lying there
I can practically feel your voice weave round a name
The way your chest is moving
    as you breath in deep
I can practically feel that pressure
    Pressing against me.
But you're far away
    & that was a long time ago.
It's like I can taste the touch of your lips
It's like I can see that look in your eyes
Intensity shining
    the desire in your touch
It's like I can feel your hands
    pressed to my back
    But you're far away
    that was a long time ago,
I want to be the warm skin under your hands
I want to be the taste on your lips
The name you say passionate -

I want to feel hear taste your breath
    mix with mine.
    But you're far away,
    that was a long time ago,
    & I wasn't there.

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