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You are cordially invited
to excise my innocence.
With the peppermint sharp sweetness
of that which you call love,
I want you to kill me.
For only after dying in you
will I be able to live in myself.

Kevin Merriman