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## **Contortion**

One day I will outgrow you  
I will stretch so far  
Bend over and sideways  
So many ways  
Until you can no longer distort me  
Until you can no longer find me  
Nor touch me

I dream of the day loneliness is better than settling for a half empty cup  
I somehow currently see as half full  
Better than nothing  
Better than no one  
Better than the cold side of my bed

It's you  
Your love  
Semi love

Lust

If we're being honest

But it's something

I'd rather feel that than the emptiness when I'm alone

Late at night

In the abyss that is my room

The endless thoughts of the past

Yearning for something I'm unsure I'll ever find again

Yet somehow your attention is second best

Maybe not the eye I should be catching

Yet I have just that

Your eyes on every inch of my body

It's as if you can peer inside

See my soul

I'm so raw when I'm with you

Innocent and free

Child like really

How do you do it

How do you hook me bait line and sinker

Every single time

Just a flick of your wrist

And I'm yours

At your mercy

At your feet

Down on my knees

How do I please

You

Appease

You

When will this end

I see no end in sight

Though I swear and swear

With all my might

This will be

The last night

For now

Over and over again

I bend

For you

Bend the truth

Bend my rules

Bend and break for you

Until I'm black and blue

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