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YOUNG LOVE

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it was later in the calendar year
but we hadn't been in school long

i wore a red tank top
and stole your white fleece
you know i hate when dead grass
sticks to my pants

but we sat there anyway
in the marsh
at the spot

i reclined into your chest
and you wrapped your arms around me
tight

we waited for the sun
to slip
away

to disappear in the dirty orange
faded blue pink sky

it took too long
and we ran back to your house

to fade
into
each other
instead