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**Cotton Candy**

I have only fallen in love once in my life

Only once have I seen a light shining at the end of the tunnel

The tunnel of my depressing existence

Her eyes shone like the glistening ocean under the moonlight

Her hair like perfectly spun cotton candy

Her teeth sparkled as she smiled at me

As we told each other secrets

But I couldn't bring myself to tell her how I felt

I was much too shy

I waited to see if she would say anything

I hoped she saw me the way I saw her

But.

She.

Didn't.

I wondered if it was something I'd done

Wondered if I acted too late

She saw something in him that I didn't have

And so she sealed my fate

However...

She seemed quite happy with him

And I saw that sparkling smile

And I realized that what I truly wanted

Was to see her happy all the while

And for once in my life

I was too