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This is just to say,
that I'd like to take the box
from your freezer, and sit indian-style with
my back to your fridge, across from you,
your knees making a valley for pitted fruit:
one for me, one for you,
until our fingers and mouths and the linoleum
are sticky; until we curl for sleep
in our sugared breath, safe, after
swallowing anxiety and exposure,
respectively cold, and sweet,
no apologies
for the empty paper box.