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and you don't know  
what It's like.

(I just want to be)

It festers and thrives  
upon my soul.

Writhing in It's grip-  
straining, reaching

I cry for you.  
And you don't know.

--- *Marta Valenzuela*