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Confidence in crafting a concept
of self more than

I

Trusting in the tangy truth
of all that I

am

Courage to conquer the chaos within
when I have been

broken

Aggression to attack the apathy
which has brought me

down.

Danger dancing on the dawn
Of our choice to be you and

I

Elegance to establish our everlasting
if only I

could

Reliance on the reasons I receive
from your pleasant

kiss

Chaos to counter the courage I have found
by putting trust in

you.

Judgment jolting but justified
to test my

will

Terror tracing over the tattoo
Trying to find the answer in

it

Smiles to secure the sanctuary
For which I would

kill

Questions not quenched that concern me.
Who do you love more, you or

me?