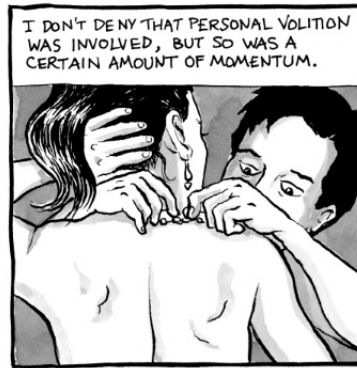
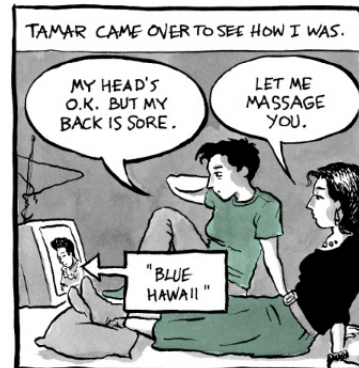


My Old Flame
gradual
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I ONCE HAD A LOVELY AFFAIR WITH SOMEONE WHO WAS KIND, BEAUTIFUL, SMART, INTERESTING, SANE, AND AVAILABLE. I BROKE IT OFF AFTER A FEW WEEKS.



FINALLY, AT THE END OF MARCH, I RECEIVED A SIGN FROM ABOVE.





THE END