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SULA POWER

Is pussy power—
That slick & iridescent
Epithelial flower
of delight
With which I
Stroke you&me
to Bliss.
It is the Clitoris's
Watery whispery
Pulsing kiss—
Sula Power
Is pussy power.
Thank you, Toni,
For teaching us This.

PERPETUAL MOTION MACHINE: A POEM FOR MY SISTERS

It's hard to stay awake,
It's hard to stay focused,
It's hard to stay loyal,
It's hard to stay reasonable,
It's hard to be organized,
It's hard to be empathetic,
It's hard to get your go-to face on,
It's hard to be parentally engaged,
It's hard to be middle-aged,
It's hard to be healthy,
It's hard to be hard
When you have to be hard
And stay a little soft
For the soft times too.