

Pink Hair Who Cares?

I wasn't ready
the first time
I dyed my hair pink
I wasn't comfortable enough
in my masculinity
it wasn't the right time
for that *soft candyfloss pink*
to counteract my makeshift-gruff
maybe if I'd been on T
I would have felt masc enough
maybe if I had some scruff
to also dye *blushing rosy*
I would have felt trans enough
but back then I was all fragility
wrapped up in bravado and lynx
I wasn't man enough
maybe next time I'll try *brighter bolder pinks*

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