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Kissing (noun):

1. *To salute with the lips, as a mark of affection, reverence, submission, forgiveness, reconciliation, parting, etc.*
2. *To touch gently, as if fondly or caressing.*
3. *To make or give salutation with the lips in token of love, respect, etc.*
4. *To meet; to come in contact; to touch fondly.*
5. *A small piece of confectionary.*
6. *A cookie made of egg whites and sugar (a.k.a. a meringue).*

# *Kissing*

Everything You Ever Wanted to Know  
About One of Life's Sweetest Pleasures

*by Andréa Demirjian*

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Call it human instinct or pure pleasure—kissing is something everyone loves to indulge in. In **KISSING: *Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About One of Life's Sweetest Pleasures*** (Perigee Trade Paperback Original; January 3, 2006; \$9.95), lifelong kissing connoisseur Andréa Demirjian unravels the mystery of this intoxicating interaction.

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