

## William Burroughs

James

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He talked but never moved his lips  
Made love but never used his hips  
His skin unused fell to decay  
From fleshy pink to ashen grey

It's enough to crack a smile  
It's enough to make you blind  
It's enough to make you live your life backwards  
It's enough to drive you out of your mind

And he became a figurehead  
A 3-D sign that might be dead  
And no one knew his state of mind  
He fell into the great divide

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