

## Our History

### Pale Young Gentlemen

I woke within a circle and they glared down  
at me, my ex lovers and their mothers, nails  
and biting teeth. Why, why didn't I die?

My brother found my body in the grass, a  
purple stain, and he didn't say a word we are  
the same, we are the same.

Lines cut through my face, I felt like  
a child.

You can't touch me, my people,  
our history.

While I believe that I ain't  
nothing, just a line in a circle, I'm  
convinced that I won't forget tonight.  
I won't forget tonight, my boy.

Lines cut through my face, he  
carried me home.

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our history.

Every time she climbs atop me  
I wonder will it end the same.  
I don't know.

I'd like to see my father. We fit together.  
I'd like to see my father.

Lines cut through my face and I  
felt like a child.

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