

## Nu Bruises

Superchunk

When you came my paint was still wet  
Plastering horsehair in relief  
Pulling bristles off the wall  
You're like mosquitoes in the fall  
To sign your name you use your teeth

Grass stained knees and sand in my shoes  
Sore back, I'd recently been rode  
I've been to parties at your place  
Where you explained the steeplechase  
Smooth hedges and a secret code

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Resting by the cheerful rapids  
Delivery room into the shore  
I saw you floating down this way  
Dove in and kicking all the way  
Is nearly drowning not a sport?

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