

Shirin

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When Shirin cuts my hair
It's like a love affair
Let those locks fall to the ground
Or let them stay there

I show her my passport
What I look like
But she just smiles and lets me know
It's gonna be all right

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When Shirin cuts my hair
Her mama's sitting in the rocking chair
She tells me stories from the war
In Iraq cause they were there

Shirin pulls my head to the side
But in the mirror I can see
A tear in her eye

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When Shirin does her magic
To my frizzy straws
Immigration and tax representatives
Stumbled upon the lot
But what if it reaches the government
That you have a beauty salon
In your own apartment

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