

## Artificial Turf

Pond

sitting in a field with fingers in the earth  
artificial turf should cover everything  
you and me cover the real world so green and evenly

artificial hurts and manufactured words  
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holding down your face until you let go first

you and me uncover the real world alone eventually

the filthy sun shines down upon the dull earth spring  
not anything will grow back in were grass grew once  
roll back the carpeting

you and me uncover the real world imperfect and ugly