## No More School

## **The Bear Quartet**

Ever since we moved here
I've been outnumbered, I swear
Everything's wrong: my accent,
My clothes, my eyes, the list is long

If I had a matchstick for Every dream turned into a nightmare I'd build a horse and Kindly lead it to thunder

Heard them call me names, they called my name From which all meaning's been drained For a laugh, the itch to abuse and humiliate But I don't care, I no longer care Whatever I live for it's not there

I no longer go places
I only leave home
So well adjusted to the boredom
Through which life flows

My little sisters, their well-known features Up on the bridge Where are they going and why What do they think of life and love

Heard them call my name, they called my name
Smiled and waved they saved my day
Yes I could walk with them and yes I'd love too but
It won't happen I'm waiting for a flashlight to come
Switch me back on again
Then I'll try to catch up and then I'll call their names