

## Girls Like Status

### The Hold Steady

He was drawn-up in the dark up in Penetration Park  
He says he's got your medication  
She was sitting on the edges of his vision trying to start a revolution  
But he's done with all the parties, he's covered in contusions  
Your laugh leaves laugh lines, your love leaves bright bruises  
She said she was cruising but she came back all proud and out of focus with a cool car crankin' Krokus.

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He was dreadlocked in the dorms in the Colorado corn  
He says he's got your vegetation  
She was sitting on the edge of the bed smoking trying to reach emancipation  
And he's done with DVDs, he's fully entertained  
He's bleaching out the blood stains, he's got diamonds in the drain  
She said that she was coming but she mostly just made hard fast noises  
It kind of sounded like The Locust

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It was song number three on John's last CD,  
"I'm going to make it through this year if it kills me"  
And it almost killed me  
And song number four on that first D4, you want the scars but you don't want the war  
That's just hardcore  
These kids are clever to the core

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