## When the Curious Girl Realizes She Is Under Glass

## **Bright Eyes**

Tomorrow when I wake up, Im finding my brother And making him take me back down to the water That lake where we sailed, and we laughed with our father I will not desert him, I will not desert himNo matter, how I may wish for a coffin so clean Or these trees to undress all their leaves onto me I put my face in the dirt and then finally I'll see The sky that has been avoiding meI started this letter, Im going to send it to Ruba It'll be blessed by her eyes, on the gulf coast of Florida With her feet in the sand and one hand on her swimsuit She'll recite the prayer of my penSaying, "Time take us forward, relief from this longing They can land that plane on my heart, I dont care Just give me November, the warmth of a whisper In the freezing darkness of my room"But no matter, what I would do in an attempt to replace All these pills that I take, trying to balance my brain See the curious girl with that look on her face So surprised, she stares out from her display case

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