

# When I Go Out With Artists

## Crash Test Dummies

When I go out with artists  
They talk about language  
And the cubists and the dadaist  
And I try to catch their meanings  
And keep up with all of the martinis  
I don't know which  
Should be my favorite paintings  
If I could see, if I could see  
If I could see all the symbols  
Unlock what they mean  
Maybe I could, maybe I could  
Maybe I could meet the artists  
And get to know them personally  
If I were David Byrne  
I'd go to galleries and not be too concerned  
And I would have a cup of coffee  
And I'd find my surroundings quite amusing  
And people would ask me  
Which were my favorite paintings?  
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What if the artists ran the TV?  
All the ads would be  
For fine Scotch whiskey  
Glenfiddich, Glenlivet  
The whole single malt family  
The artists of the future  
Will make up new things  
And different nomenclatures  
And they'll stand amongst their pictures  
And they'll sing and laugh  
And quote from scriptures  
And when they go home  
They'll dream of brilliant paintings  
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