## **Another Dance**

Where are all the little nothings I spoke to you when we were young? I want them back. You were so precious, sitting there on the porch swing, letting me put my hand up under the back of your blouse to feel the smoothness of female skin. Where is the femininity that I gave you through my fingers? I want it back. Where is the bitchy grouchiness that I gave you? I want it back. Give me it. I gave you my tools and now you do all the work and give me your laziness and bitch at me for it with the bitchiness I gave you. Take your laziness back. Give me back my tools, and go get your own. This is a dance we are dancing, and I don't want to have to step on your feet, so watch carefully as I lead you into leading me to lead you. This is a dance we are dancing. Oh, now it's over. Clap, clap, clap. But there'll be another.

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