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Hammonton Smartsville Road to Highway 70

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rolling hills covered with poppies and buttercups
meadowlark's singing on the rusted barbed wire
here is where we turn to hike

rows of empty houses, ticky-tac soldiers
four lanes watch for black and whites
drive-in for banana shakes still there

blooming orchards with thigh-high mustard
red-tailed hawks and red-winged blackbirds
on the road, i am thinking of you

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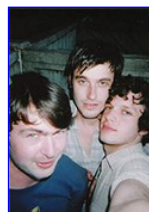
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