

## Inflamed Nerve Endings

Adair

I will meet you underwater.  
dressed in white. your eyes ablaze.  
tonight you'll sleep out on my couch while  
I lie in bed all night awake.  
a room away while I listen  
to you breathing in and out.  
and I wait.

I started falling  
so long ago, when I met you.  
and oh, to hit rock bottom.  
you will know it when I do.

I will meet you underwater.  
I'll let you kill me every day.  
but God I'm tired and I'm burning.  
can I be there when you rain.  
when you rain.

it hurts so bad.  
it hurts so bad.  
can you make this go away?