

## Fairytales Tell Tales

Cursive

let's pretend we're not needy  
let's pretend our hearts still beat  
let's pretend we fall in love tonight  
clumsy enough to fall for anything  
we'll stumble on our words  
we'll spill our guts on creaking bar stools  
below the neon blue  
low lives hiding in dives there's no feeling in drinking sleepi  
ng with strangers  
ghosts passing through bedrooms unaware  
a faint reflection on the barbacks mirror  
a face I never knew whispering,  
please don't be a stranger to me. who are you if you're alone  
you're no good at pretending  
all my plays have tragic endings  
you wish I was a fairy tale  
this frog will never change anything  
just pretend that you're in love  
that scolding sun is bound to come up eventually  
so who is it that whispers in your ear  
a haunting voice blows in through the window  
there's no feeling floating over beds  
a needy pleading apparition  
crying 'who am I if I am alone?  
I hardly exist at all.  
let's pretend that we don't need anything anymore from anyone.  
I don't want to feel anything anymore let's just pretend  
we'll live happily ever after