

# I Say Fever

Ramona Falls

Before she met me she took herself to wait five years  
After I met her, her teacher said "Best wait five years."  
I ask my neighbors, they said it's wise to wait five years.

I say "Fever."

I told a friend how I'm feeling and this made her sad  
'Cause she fears that no man will ever desire her so bad.  
How dare I feel this and do naught but sit on my hands.

I say "Fever."

Hold my heart like a hot potato,  
push the clock for an hour later.  
This is just code to decipher;  
found my ploughman, chased the piper.

That ended up.  
That's all now.  
These are the ones who talk.  
Never a lick--needs her to kiss him.

The first five years go by and we are no longer here.  
I blame myself for not taking steps to draw her near.  
I try to decide what to do now based on love not fear.

I say "Fever."

(Fo[u]r years.)

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