

# Blues Traveler, Canadian Rose

Autumn air it carries me there  
Less than an hour to go  
Six hundred miles an hour  
And still it feels so slow  
I'm trying to get back to Burlington  
To a square in the center of town  
To a spot on a wooden table  
Where her feet didn't reach the ground  
And when she kisses me it tasted like cinnamon  
And her skin smells of cider and rose  
And when she looked at me we both got quiet  
And my heart beats so hard we were in so close  
Once for such a beautiful while that still makes me smile

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And I would call her my Canadian flower  
And I don't think that we'll ever get there again  
We had such power  
And she would call me her ugly American  
And I'll remember my Canadian rose  
Especially when the fall comes to Burlington  
We were in so close

And every single hope and dream I could ever conjure up  
Passionately springs in me and things are possible  
Plausible and perfectly both of ours forever after  
And every day, at least it seemed that way  
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I finally made it this town looks rearranged  
I don't know these people anymore  
But in the best ways not much else has changed  
From the way it was before  
And at least they still have this certain table  
Where I once carved a particular name  
I run my finger through the weathered carving  
And I almost can feel the same  
And my mouth it almost tastes just like cinnamon  
As I ponder what my pilgrimage means  
And I try to figure out where Vancouver is from here  
And I listen to the leaves  
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