LIZ PHAIR, Jealousy

He's got a million dollar car

He's got a thirty-seven year old guitar

He's got a family who deals heroin

You're on the edge of your chair

And you feel it

He's looking at you, he's laughing at you

It's happening

I can't, I can't believe it

But it's here on the pages I'm reading

It's all I can do to conceal my feelings of jealousy

Jealousy

I know it's just a drawer of photographs

They're ex-girlfriends, I try to remember that

I don't wanna look, but I'm already hooked on jealousy

Jealousy

I can't believe you had a life before me

I can't believe they let you run around free

Just putting your body wherever it seemed like a good idea

What a good idea

Standing on the corner watching the ladies pass by

Imagining me behind your eyes

And what did I see?

I saw hips, I saw thighs

I saw secret positions that we never try

I saw jealousy

I saw jealousy

I can't, I can't believe it

But it's here in this place and I see it

It's all I can do to conceal my feelings of jealousy

Jealousy

Standing on the mudflats watching the salmon fly

Wonder if I'll ever bury the hatchet inside

Imagining me behind your eyes

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