

# Ten Foot Pole, A.D.D.

Mommy, what does hyper mean?  
The teacher says I'll never read  
Says I need to take a pill  
So I can learn to sit real still  
The microwaves did something to our brains  
We need to take these pills to help us change

Please let me take them  
I don't want to be an idiot  
Ritalin will make me smart,  
at least that's what my teacher says  
All the other kids take them  
I think I am the only one  
I need something to slow me down  
I talk too much 'cause I am dumb

Mommy what's a deficit?  
I think it means that I can't sit  
Disorder of attention  
and I don't learn the lesson  
Mommy, please help me see the light  
Don't you know my teacher's always right?

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(guitar break down)

Joey started on week four,  
He's not in trouble anymore  
Suzy in it on week nine,  
Now she's never out of line  
Now she's never ever out of...

Please let me take them  
I don't want to be an idiot  
Mommy takes my ritalin,  
There's not enough for me she said  
All the other moms take them  
I think it's not just mine  
I don't know if she's smarter now,  
but at least she's doin' fine