

## Jane Child

### "The Willow Tree"

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She looked a lot like I did, so it was easy  
She wore painted lips and powdered eyelids  
But unlike me did not react  
Maybe she even smiled back

You must have known where this was going  
Was it your first time  
You kept playing possum, always knowing  
That she was going to be the one  
I was the girl she had become

Leaves are falling  
Though it's only Spring  
On the front lawn  
From the willow tree  
No answer  
You just run away  
And leave your shadow  
Under the willow tree

She was close enough to understudy  
And make your payday  
She fell into place like easy money  
And let your inhibitions fly  
Repair the tear I left inside

And she's the real thing, it's really happening...

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