

ME 'N ANNA KARENINA
.....LIVIN' IN THE FAST LANE

Radley Gomez Metzger

I was just nineteen and sort of dumb
when Anna came along
wearing white polyester shorts and a quiana top
made for slipping off

Cheri had split town, for sights unknown'
and leaving this place with a bad rep
and an aroma of cheap perfume
from K-Mart

So Anna and I we get it on
behind the desk and up the creek
Sometimes we left in the afternoon
to explore the broom closets

Anna's got a husband in Cuhayoga County
and a kid in Reform school
but I don't care
I've got rhythm

So Anna makes hay
and I sow oats
And we get our daily quota of fiber
Real good for our systems

I was twenty when Anna went back
to her cross-eyed lover
on the other side of the tracks
I cried her a river