

## Mrs. Dubose

### Drive-By Truckers

Jupiter mules kickin' out all the stops  
Newfangled dogs danglin' stars from her eyelids  
She can't read between the lies anymore  
Lord, help her rise just one more time if you can.  
Still, the children read to her  
till she opens up her hands

When my body dies will you remember my name?  
When my body dies will you remember my name?

Oh, Mrs. Dubose you were such a flower  
now you're all dead inside withered and insane  
Oh, Mrs. Dubose you were such a flower, you got the death,  
the dust, and the opium runnin' through your veins  
Black maid stays cause she's paid to be around  
Condemned and scared for all she knows  
You better look at the road when you pass  
she gonna fix you with that evil eye  
unless your hotdin' your old man's hand  
you better pass on by better pass on by