

## Desperation Breeds...

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Beekeeper sing of your frustration  
In this litigious breeze  
Of accidental pollination  
In this era without bees

We keep breeding desperation  
In this era of thieves  
Who keep stealing respiration  
From the tenderest of trees

This peculiar incantation  
Sure you heard it before  
Instead of breeding desperation  
Make me a pallet on your floor