

## Big Tall Man

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I'm a big, tall man  
I cut the grass  
My left eye hurts  
I am waiting and reading parts  
I can be a complicated communicator

Zeus and Athens  
Florida driveway  
Asphalt and tires  
Sand and the beach, rocker panel  
Headlights in the dark...  
I am drag racing

Fog and the distance beyond it...  
Boats and the quiet morning noises...  
I'm walking the shoreline  
A beer and a cigarette...  
A bug with twitching antennae  
A button-up short sleeved shirt...

Yes, I'm careening down!  
Winding the canyons, now!  
Yes, I am broadcasting myself!