## G.I.m.

## ThouShaltNot

Girls like me don't understand how we wind up Siamese twins Connected at the neck When you breathe out Our bodies breathe in And girls like me don't talk about who's really in control For when your mouth is open We can see right down that hole For all you know of skin and bones, the muscles, brain, and heart Can you not learn the distance when we stand so close apart? Girls like me have given up on lending out our eyes For if and when you bring them back They've shrunk another size Your tiny tweezer hands are so precise but cold as steel And girls like me are sick of being flesh they touch but never feel For all you know of skin and bones, the muscles, brain, and heart Can you not learn the distance when we stand so close apart? For all you know of nervous systems, organs, and insides Has science taught you nothing of what's underneath the hide? And girls like me can trace the shadows as they fade away Running from the sun and dying at the end of day Girls like me can shed your body Lose this extra weight We'll cut your throat if that's what it will take for twins to separate