



I have tried to
teach you how to
read music but i
can tell that you
are more into the
tails on the quavers
and the semi brieve
rest symbol than what
everything was supposed to
mean or sound like

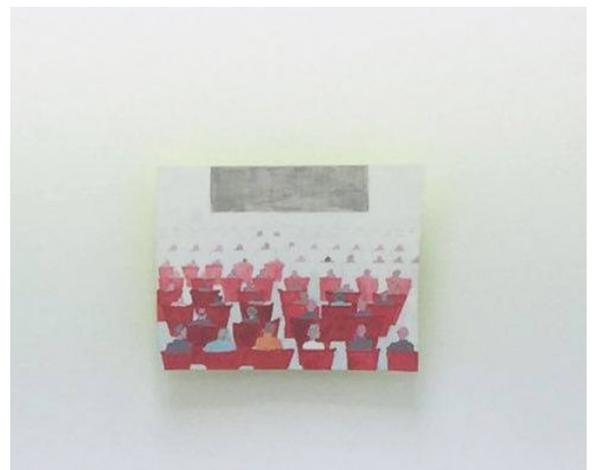
and that is fair
enough so am i
in a way to
be honest with you

you don't smoke so
this one's for all
the one's left inside
wishing that the cigarettes
were long enough to
send with a kiss
through the open window

there's rules here too
different ones like switch
your phone off because
the glow is louder
than the screen is
it seems blank but
for a string of
bacci moving across it

i'm not sure whether
we are at the
beginning or the end

someone told me his
dad once made him



a half pipe with
a big fat lip
from a cereal packet

those kids at school
who always had all
the best toys like
theirs would have been
made from solid alabaster
or something like that

when the economy started
going bad under labour
all those years ago
you had an idea
for a breakfast cereal
called Credit Crunch and
the economy is still
bad so the idea
is probably still good

bhs went down today
nearly twenty thousand jobs
and your dad nearly
lost his in oil
but now he's being
promoted instead and maybe
he will rent the
villa for your birthday
and you will just
be one of those
kind of kids now

this blue one's like
a window for all
the one's who want
to go someplace where
the oil tastes like
oil and the sea
looks like the sea

and in the summer
the sun kisses your
sugar white, car painted
toe nails and the
sugar paper on the
floor with drawings of
you and your sister

lily on the back

sports direct keep sayin
they're closing down and
hanging those paintings in
the window that look
like they were made



in a rush in
the back room somewhere
but really when you
look up close you
see they're photocopies of
each other and if
you see two in
one day you'll realise
they're exactly the same
and they're not really
closing down at all
it's a sales tactic
and Mike Ashley is
laughing all the way
to the bank as
Newcastle United is torn
apart and the fans
sing for his head

you make stock by
draining the flavour from
celery, carrots, onions, herbs

you boil them for
days and then strain
using very thin muslin
but when you buy
cubes you buy cubes
just to turn them
back into liquid again

when you liquidate stock
you turn goods back
into money again which
is what they were
in the first place

theres a graph here
too on this gift
by the tumble dryer
an important thing to
buy like pressing save
or a line through
these tick box lives

running from the bathroom
to the bedroom trying
not to catch cold

