

Jeremy

by Pearl Jam

A Emsus4 A Emsus4
At home drawing pictures
A Emsus4 A Emsus4
Of mountaintops with him on top
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Lemon yellow sun, arms raised in a vee
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And the dead lay in pools of maroon below

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Daddy never gave attention
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...To the fact that mommy didn't care
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King Jeremy the Wicked ruled his world
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Jeremy spoke in class today
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Clearly I remember picking on the boy
Seemed a harmless little fuck
Oooh but we unleashed a lion
Gnashed his teeth and bit the recess lady's breast
How could I forget
And he hit me with a surprise left
My jaw left hurting, dropped wide open
Just like the day, like the day I heard

Daddy never gave affection
And the boy was something that mommy wouldn't wear
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Try to forget this (try to forget this)
Try to erase this (try to erase this)
From the blackboard