



Well *mother* is moot now her daughter  
too at the close of a short blunt  
line mother herself young enough to count  
for lapsed mall brat immoderate  
club girl in tube top tattooed  
*Bella Vita* over left breast vivacity of a sparrow  
dancing laughing *childlike* the papers  
have it her rat-tailed hair  
shaken free of its courtroom asperity  
pink ovarian flush to her cheeks fresh  
wretch or fiend but pretty—there's no  
denying that.

# YOUNG MOTHER NOT GUILTY



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