**Susquehanna & River**

There’s not a fish to find these days

I clasp my hands, kneel down and pray

My brother and I will live out our hungry days

The Susquehanna filters out

My mother named after that trout

She caught inside a net before the chemicals and all

Now we just wait for the mercury to fall

Every time I close my eyes

I swear I see a better life

My brother, River, he don’t mind it now

But I know some day he’s gonna find it out

The rain, the rain, rain

Keeps the river high

I just wished it’d rain

Over here sometimes

Folks around here don’t mind the grind

Get to work and leave on time

But I don’t see my mama much no more

She got that second job down at the dollar store

Saving up for seeds to grow

Anywhere the love will flow

Cracks in the sidewalk, dirt in the yard

When the snow melts and the ground ain’t hard

The rain, the rain, rain

Keeps the river high

I just wished it’d rain

Over here sometimes

Most folks act like I’m not even here

Sometimes I swear they wish I’d just disappear

I ain’t wishing bad on folks with much

I’m just wishing more for folks like us

The rain, the rain, rain

Keeps the river high

I just wished it’d rain

Over here sometimes