the end of may

i come by to see you guys each year
at the end of may
we open up some memories and some beers
just like in the day

you both are forever young and i
am covered up with age
i close my eyes and travel back in time
and turn another page

on a book as big as boulders
but it don't outweigh
the short stories of young soldiers
at the end of may

there's no way to ever satisfy
why this was to be
every time i stop and wonder why
you instead of me

there's a mountain on my shoulders
but it don't outweigh
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