

Price and Me
A Life-snippet

we were a good team
mowing pastures, plowing corn
manning our John Deere's

laughing and waving
back and forth across the field
every time we passed

I was young, he's old
he seemed happy as our hand
I never thought twice

Price "knew his place" there
always friendly, always kind
in our Jim Crow land

never shared a meal
he never entered our home
Price was Black, you see

Setting: Ray County Missouri, 1953-1963

In fond memory of Price Cunningham



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