CAROL

Come on Carol, I call
let's get the dishes done
but she sits there drawing
at the kitchen table, a
life-like portrait, with one
foot dangling, auburn hair
hanging over her canvas
Let frogs hop around the room or
ten foot daisies grow outside the window
others can work and slave
but let her draw

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I'LL TELL YOU MY DREAMS, YOU TELL ME YOURS

Dear Sigmund:

i
told them
i dreamt
about the Eiffel Tower
and they said that i was over-sexed
so i told them i dreamt about the old
locomotive in the park and they said that i
was undersexed. So then i told them i dreamt
about a fiery, wild horse and they said that i was sexually
repressed and i told i dreamt i could fly and they said
i was probably promiscuous.

really wonder
what they'd say if i
told them i dreamt i
made love to someone. They'd
probably say it means
i like peanut butter
sandwiches.

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