

Lou Sullivan's Birthday

Sometimes when you're broke
and another someone moves
in to help with rent

you wind up awake
at four AM, vaguely coked up
listening to two

boys have sex in the room
below you. Something tells you
to jerk off – why not

so you, on your phone
watch a cock appear in and
out of some stud's mouth.

You thrust helplessly
into your hand, willing it
to be your lover's

tongue and fist, but it's not
going anywhere.