



The Breeders have been recording their second record in the Bay Area this spring, and it's strange and catchy and totally hard . . . The band also plans on covering a lovely country-ish song called "Driving on Nine," written by former Ed's Redeeming Qualities' singer Dom Leone, a Boston friend of Kim's who died of cancer in 1989.

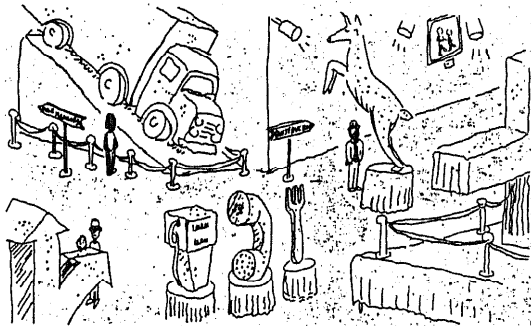
Robert: What's the connection to **The Breeders**, since they're doing a cover of *DRIVING ON 9* for their new album?

Carrie: To make it brief -- **The Pixies** were taking off at the same time we were having our little tete in Boston - actually, Ray was playing in a band at the time & they opened for **The Pixies**. Kim's (Deal) husband at the time, who was sorta hanging around & sorta helping with management liked Ray's band, befriended him & started going to their shows. Ray was managing Ed's at the time, & Ray said, "Come see this band." So John (Murphy) did; he liked us & started bringing Kim along to shows -- she liked us & we all became friends. She was a big fan of *DRIVING ON 9* even then.

When she started conceiving **The Breeders**, she needed violin for a few songs, so she invited me to do that. So I went in on the original demos -- '89 at Fort Apache. And she just never forgot about *DRIVING ON 9* -- actually, we did it on the demos: it was supposed to be on the 1st album. She didn't do it, I think possibly because it was a country song with this rock band & people would think it was a novelty or whatever. It concerned her - still did, but she did it anyway & this time, it's on there. It's a done deal. And she did it as a country song - very spare.

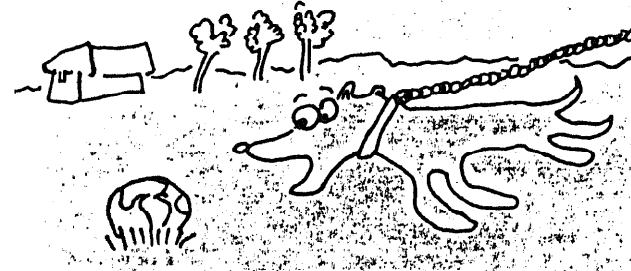
## Bridge Woman

a story (and a drawing) by Dom Leone



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## Safe World Record

### Ed's Safe World Tour, 1993

F 5/7 San Diego, The Casbah (2812 Kettner)  
S 5/8 Mesa, AZ, Hollywood Alley (2810 Baseline)  
Su 6/9 Albuquerque, NM, The Dingo (313 Gold SW) 9 pm  
T 5/11 Fort Worth, TX, The Hop (2908 W. Berry) 10:30  
W 5/12 Fayetteville, AR, Louisiana  
Th 5/13 Dayton, OH, Canal Street (308 E. 1st)  
F 5/14 Louisville, KY, Toungans W/6 La Fango  
S 5/15 Cincinnati, OH, Topcats  
Su 5/16 Cleveland, OH, The Sinking Spider (11310 Jumper) 5:00  
M 5/17-18 Charleston, SC, Filford & Egan (231 Meeting)  
W 5/19 Greensboro, NC, The Infirmary (411 N. Eugene St.)  
Th 5/20 Washington, Food for Thought (1736 Conn. NW) 7:30  
F 5/21 Hoboken, NJ, Harveys w/American Male Club  
S 5/22 New York, NY, CD's 313 Gallery (313 Bowery) 11 pm  
T 5/23 Blue Hill, ME, Left Bank Cafe, 8-10 pm  
W 5/24 Bar Harbor, ME, College of the Atlantic  
Th 5/27 Cambridge, MA, TT the Bear's (10 Brookline St.)  
F 5/28 Portland, ME, Zootz (31 Forest Ave.) w/Ola Coyote  
S 5/29 Portsmouth, NH, Press Room (77 Daniel St.) w/Toot  
Su 6/30 Hanover, NH, Pin Pal Panarchy (Dartmouth) afternoon  
T 6/1 Providence, RI, Last Call Baboon (15 Elbow St.)  
W 6/2 Philadelphia, PA, The North Side Bar (2539 W. Poplar)  
Th 6/3 Albany, NY, CE-2 (12 Central Ave.)  
F 6/4 Warren, OH, Mocha House (467 High St.) 8:30  
S 6/5 Youngstown, OH, Cedars Lounge (23 N. Hazel)  
M 6/7 Pittsburgh, PA, The Beehive (1327 E. Carson) 8-10  
T 6/8 Cleveland, Cleveland Public Theatre (6415 Detroit) 9 pm  
W 6/9 Columbus, OH, Del Cafe (115 Parsons Ave.)  
Th 6/10 Lexington, KY, Lynagh's (388 Woodland Ave.)  
Su 6/13 Chicago, Elbo Room (2871 N. Lincoln)  
T 6/15 Iowa City, IA, Gaber's (passive)  
W 6/16 Madison, WI, Club de Wash (536 W. Washington Ave.)  
Th, 6/17 Minneapolis, MN, Uptown (tentative)

### TOURING TOILS -- AS AN AFTERTHOUGHT

- Robert: Time for the very last question -- what does the future hold for ERQ, here in the middle of '93?
- Jonah: I asked that question just yesterday.
- Carrie: Did you?
- Dan: We're asking ourselves that.
- Carrie: We'd like to be signed by a record **label** who loves us, & we'd like them to make action figure toys of us to have, & we'd like to tour in a . . .
- Jonah: In a van!
- Carrie: In a **bus**.
- Jonah: An '86 Ford van -- from Wisconsin.
- Dan: I'll settle for a van.
- Robert: I almost forgot -- how did the tour go?
- Carrie: (long pause) **Fine**.
- Robert: What **were** you traveling in; just out of curiosity?
- Carrie: We were traveling in a '71 Ford LTD, a '69 Plymouth Valiant, a borrowed Toyota Tercel, a borrowed Ford van; a Subaru station wagon -- is that everything?
- Jonah: We had car problems.