Todos Somos Americanas: La Historia de Mi Abuela
We Are All Americans: My Grandma’s Story

We
Are all Americans
Even out on seas
Mi Abuela says: “Here.”
When someone asks: “Where are you from?”
“Puerto Rico”

We
Are all Americans
Remember Roberto Clemente
That baseball star?
We have your autographed picture
Hanging on our wall

Or María Cadilla Colón de Martínez
A women's rights activist?
María Cadilla Colón de Martínez high school
That’s where my Abuela went to school

They
Are all Americans
They
Are all Puerto Ricans

Mi Abuela
Mi Abuelo
Mi Papá
Y yo

Puerto Rico
Unincorporated US territory
You flow through me from island to mainland
Like geese in their triangle formations
Coming back after a long winter

Don’t forget
We
Are all Americans