For 20 years I've held this pulpit
Preached the word, served the Eucharists
Gained the trust of the townsfolk
Made every football game, never missed a social
Last week a boy I taught theology
Came back in town with a new ideology
Those feelings I tucked away
Threaten the sanctuary
A lifetime of burning culminated in one innocent forbidden touch
I know this is wrong
Cause I'm taught this is wrong

A new recruit, 25 years old

He joined the habit with a chip on his shoulder

Some nights he'd proclaim his preference

But only flat back drunk on a bottle of Jameson

One of those nights we stayed up, the two of us

Singing our lives, just the two of us

We were hiding in the dark

I fell asleep by his side

We woke to the chimes of the bells in the steeple, and ran off

to separate rooms

They can't know what we've done

Our whole world would come undone

You'll never live this down You'll never live this down You'll never live this down You'll never live this down

They're gonna find you out
And when they find you out
They're gonna drag you out! Don't let them find you!

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