

## Autumn

Grieves

Woke up in a cold sweat  
Alone where the ghost slept  
I never thought I was the type  
I would have took the frost but I must have made it obvious  
Cause every time it happens I'm the one who gets the bite  
Fading like the lights on the last bus out of here  
Kicking up dust disappear into the night  
Nothing lasts forever  
But judging by the weather  
I'm starting to get a sick feeling that it might  
And I don't want to fight you anymore Benjamin  
It's a plague  
A lose-lose situation in a maze with a crazed man chasing the kid in me with  
a blade  
That's too proud to ever admit he's afraid  
So pile the rocks on me  
I don't know what to say  
The whole worlds' watching but I don't think they relate  
I was right where I landed  
Simple and plain  
Another victim of the sickle and the flame

The flame blows out  
Won't ever see it coming  
Funny how  
This is all I ever wanted  
Was the price you paid  
When you try to cross a river without drowning

Fell asleep with my bones cold  
Blowing smoke through a froze throat  
Trying to focus on the flash  
I would of grabbed the whip  
But they must have seen me coming  
Cause no matter what I do I always seem to catch the lash  
Painting with the ash left sitting at the base of what I used to be pretty f  
amiliar with as home  
I don't know if fate's trying to kill me  
Or teach me how to grow  
But either way it's got me feeling hopeless  
And I don't want to climb this tattered up rope anymore  
Sick of thinking I'ma fall  
The Devil's greatest trick was convincing the world he never existed  
And mine was a broken crystal ball  
Looking at the shards trying to figure out the future with a bloody hand hol  
ding it together from the base  
Funny how the butterflies flapping in my stomach finally figured out a way t  
o make a valiant escape  
We talk about the coals and the bats  
Choking on the facts  
Fighting with the current to our backs  
Nobody ever promised me tomorrow more than anybody told me I would die befor  
e I ever made it back  
And even if I had  
It's only a matter of time until it catches up with me to loosen up my grasp  
Everything I've done in the name of being strong always seems to come around  
and try to kill me where I stand

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