

## Novelty Crosses

### The Black Dahlia Murder

Eyes of perfect ivory  
Match the sweetest lengths of your neck  
I'm but a stain to such holy fabrics  
Darwin's proposal  
Bouncing back from colored glass

Serpents will guide me to your hull  
Slithering between the pews of pearl  
I'll walk a path of purity and temporary grace  
Whatever it may take to eat and drink of you till slaked

To run a gloveless finger up  
Curvaceous trembling leg  
We mustn't wait

The fruits of tragedy we'll taste  
I'll be Adam, you'll be Eve  
We'll fuck and so create

I'm being strangled by his statue  
If only his cold eyes could weep  
For these things that shouldn't be

Father, I've been sinning  
I've pulled a fast one  
The perfect sleight of fate  
Goddamn, girl  
Like an hourglass I'll invert you  
The Higher powers shuddering  
At what you have become

The laws of science abandoned  
Thrust into purgatory

Mary, you've never looked so tender  
I will you statues here  
To take a breath of life and look upon  
Her virgin skin raised in anticipation  
The dark has won  
My darkness has won again

[solo]

What is truth?  
I cannot yet discern  
Kneeling in hope of reprimand  
This Father's love shall not within me flow  
I've fallen to my knees in hollow prayer

How original a sin!

We'll fuck and so create  
And burn this planet in our wake

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The only heaven I will know  
Is heaving 'neath the buttons of your blouse

We'll be immortal  
A most blessed union of lust  
The flames of Hell shall lick our coattails  
As we feast of infinity's bust