

# Taken By Sleep

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This is a story about a scarlet letter... yeah

It just hit me as I lay my head down  
No one around in the dark cold night, I hear a sound  
In my head repeat track of everything you've ever said  
Must be something, but it's nothing, so I just go back to bed

It's 4, crack the door to the hallway in my dreams  
But it seems my hallway keeps closing in on me  
Forcing me out, making me think about you and how you're gone  
I see 4: 05 with teary eyes and then I write this song

And I just can't believe it has to be this way  
You know we say it seems to me that it was just the other day  
I saw your face, I saw your light, you ran the race, you fought the fight  
But now it's all being torn down for me tonight

And I know it might be a little selfish for me to say  
But I need to know if you've thought of me at all today  
Cause every day walk past the place you lived five days of the week  
And now it's 10 after 4 and I am taken by sleep

Spending hours on end, deciding what I'd say to a friend if I ever saw 'em a  
gain  
Cause I don't know if I know, don't want to come across the wrong way  
And I don't know if I know, but I know I want to see your face today

And somebody told me they saw you cry and break down  
Do you know how hard that is to get around and think about?  
It's not like you to let emotions get the best of things  
Especially when everything is hanging in the air we breathe

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I'll sing a song to you, my- Let's go!

(Friend oh yeah yeah yeah)  
Friend, yeah, yeah, yeah

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