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Time, passing so slowly Still, as he sits and he watches the sand slip through his hand

He demands something more, something strong Something savage and pure One more twist of the knife and it's time to cut and run

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He smiles, as he draws on his last cigarette
And he tries to forget all that forces every move
He commands something new, something strong
Something spiteful and true
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Cries on his tape so they might understand Signs his farewell with a squeeze of his hand

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