

Hateful Hate

10,000 Maniacs

In the dark night a giant slumbered untouched for centuries
'til awakened by a white man's cry: "This is the Eden I was to
find."

There were lands to be charted and to be claimed for a crown,
when a hero was made by the length he could stay in this danger
ous land of hateful hate.

Curiosity filled the heads of these, there was an upper room th
ey had to see.

Curiosity killed the best of these for a hero's hometown welcom
ing.

Still they moved on and on.

Who came building missions?

Unswerving men of the cloth who gave their lives in numbers unt
old so that black sheep entered the fold.

Captured like human livestock, destined for slavery.

Naked, walked to the shore where great ships moored for the hel
l bound journeys.

Bought and sold with a hateful hate.

Curiosity filled the breasts of these with some strange ecstasy
.

Curiosity killed the best of these by robbing their lives of di
gnity.

Still they moved on and on.

Calling men of adventure for a jungle bush safari.

Come conquer the, his claws and teeth.

See death in his eyes to know you're alive.

European homesteads grew up in the colonies with civilized plan
s for wild hinterlands, their guns and God willing.

Such a hateful hate.

Curiosity spilled the blood of these for their spotted skins an
d ivory.

Curiosity filled the heads of these madmen with the lies of des
tiny.

Curiosity spilled the blood of these, then blotted their lives
from history.

Curiosity filled the heads of these, one man claimed all that h
e could see.

Curiosity still entices these madmen with a lusting and a greed
.

Their legacy, legacy, legacy