

# I Won't Bend

Dawn Golden

It's a death,  
You won't say my name  
You won't watch me sleep  
You won't turn my eyes  
You won't shut your mouth  
When I hold my breath  
When I break your stare  
When I'm caving in.

I speak to you while you're sleeping  
A sad code that goes "I can't breathe anymore"  
And I've got your back,  
But you're changing right in front of my eyes.

I'll keep you here for now.  
And I won't let up.  
I've got plenty to hide.

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I want to keep you inside  
Say our prayers  
And live in a lie  
Pull the stars that hang in the sky  
And sleep with our bodies frozen in time.

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And I won't let up.  
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