

# Swallow The Slaughter

Whiplash

No one knows exactly how to crawl inside his head  
Spitting on him  
Pulling hair  
Won't rest until they're dead  
Teasing, taunting everyday  
The morning bus to school  
Playground in the afternoon  
Sits back and plays the fool

The underdog  
Bears its teeth  
The boiling point  
The line is breached  
Throw the stone  
Cast the rage  
Swallow the slaughter  
The debt is paid  
Over and over again

Young man joins the military  
Shiny, brand new gun  
Shipped halfway around the world  
A war that can't be won  
Captured by the enemy  
The hope of life does fade  
Thinking quick the fight or flight  
Enables an escape

Years gone by  
The test of time  
Has made some harsh demands  
Constitution fading as the radiation scans  
Gone through life and war  
Only to have it end this way  
Doctor has the test results  
Hands tremble  
Bodies shake