

Four Pink Walls

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I grew up memorizing all the cracks in the wall
Staring up at the ceiling watching particles fall
See I prayed every day for a change to be made
And I'd wait to be saved, oh, no
Up at night hiding under covers found my escape
Shut my eyes and let the bass buzz into my brain
See I knew I was destined for bigger and better but never said a thing

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That there was only room
For my dreams in my dreams
So I'd sleep and repeat
'til the moon went home
And I didn't know
Where it'd take me
But made me
So crazy in love with it

Then the universe aligned
Oh, with what I had in mind
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Now I wake up to a different bedroom everyday
Living up in the clouds thinking of how it all changed
Used to sit and watch paint dry
Amazed by the limelight
I can't ever be afraid

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All of the days that I wasted gazing outside the window
Impatient frustrations let out into my pillow
Lied awake at night while my head wandered
And I wondered why
Things weren't different
Everything shifted overnight
Went from "when boredom strikes" to "Ms. Star on the Rise"
It was all in an instant, man

But those four pink walls, now I kinda miss them, man

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