

## Madman's Dream

Assemblage 23

I saw cities swallowed by the ocean  
I saw children crying in the streets  
Hundreds stranded on the overpass  
Bodies rotting in the brutal heat

Cries for help fell on deaf ears  
5 days passed and no one came  
Pointing fingers while the people died  
I saw a nation hang it's head in shame

Have I awakened  
Deep inside some madman's dream?  
This is not my country  
This is not what I believe  
Have I awakened  
Deep inside some madman's dream?  
I can barely recognize  
The place this used to be

Anarchy in the empty streets  
The law dissolved like so much smoke  
A dying prayer for the humanity  
That washed away when the levees broke

A year went by and nothing changed  
No justice left for the destitute  
Abandoned cities, abandoned souls  
Tomorrow's dream is yesterday's news