

Bruiser

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In a whisper voiced an anxious language
Spoke as if someone else was near
A growl brought my lifeline fever
Your laugh turned to cackle
And humor was sick like the air
Oh you know what I am speaking

Cause the cough that you had could have woken the dead
As the powder kept life in our bodies
Hourglass eyes coldly welcomed the sun
As we prayed for such sleep that'd never come

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