## **Oval Shaped Incisions**

## **Despised Icon**

Estranged The bliss of a young man smoothly slivered in an instant Obscured memories puncture through an opaque blindfold

Eyelids carved swiftly with oval shaped incisions A breach in one self's fortitude reveals a radiant smile struggling to resurface

Nostalgia plays its snivelling violin I bleed pristine tears

Recollections of the son I once was Stabbed my past with oxidized scissors and turned away

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The times have changed and so have I Childhood dreams reduced to pale aspirations

Familiar faces have shed their skin, Spawning a newfound identity A never ending pursuit of distinctiveness as blurred strenuous bonds in its path

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