

## The Occasional Flicker

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No, I don't want sympathy,  
I just want somewhere for these sins to go  
Compromise is the devil talking and he spoke to me

He mentioned something of moving in,  
I conversed once with him and yes  
He related to me how necessity is evil's mother  
He has no father,  
only victims weak or strong.  
I hope this won't take long

I was right the first time,  
I'll put it right with thirst now

Well, you might say I'm trying to redeem myself and in a way  
I think that's true, but I'm just trying to bite off more than  
those  
That chew more than I do

You could say that I'm a bitter man  
and once again, I think that's true,  
I will remain so until I better those  
that know more than I do  
It kind of reminds me of that burning feeling  
I used to get  
What?  
You know, that little problem I used to get What  
Are you still getting trouble with this?  
Yeah, not all the time or anything  
Like it was?  
Yeah, sometimes  
Are you sure it's not heartburn?  
No, it's definitely not heartburn  
It's just a little matter of a burning,  
a little matter of a burning nature  
It's not arson, it's not arson  
It's OK it's my problem I'll deal with it myself