

# Kings of the Carnival Creation

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Incarnated marvels simplified  
Effects from such a disconsolate kind  
Impotence of the once so perfect living  
Erase and rewind

Stand rigid for the next battle  
Peace means reloading your guns  
The love for life is all hatred in disguise  
A carnival creation with masks undone

In search for the guidelines to the gateways of sin  
through mires of misanthropy with wrath in mind  
Sophistication as cruelty and perfection as virulent truth  
Confidently dawning, to pick the best of enemies  
An abyss womb stretched wide open, exposed to retaliate

With the stigma feasting upon your flesh I wish you  
-well  
Thorns from the fountains of fate licking lepered skin  
Worshipped by anyone's mass on our planet hell  
What on earth possessed you

Consuming illusions made from hysteria and swallowed tongues  
Devoured by doubt, conducting arts of misconception  
Testimonial sufficiency declaring numbness of all perceptions

Glance into the blackness hidden beneath your surface  
And enjoy the suffering, sanity drained in disrespect  
With such bedevilled faith in good, subsequently trusting evil  
Next step for mankind will be the last seasons in sin

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Left are the kings of the carnival creation  
Carrying out the echoes of the fallen

Sense the withering eternity as it fades away  
The ultimate graceless voyage of all times  
Only death will be guarding your angels, silently  
Cripples joining arms in clamour  
Institutionalized for the rebirth, the herd will be hunted