

Moon

EVE 6

She said look at the moon,
It's like a fingernail clipping
A slippery light in the cold black sky
I gave her my coat, held her close and she cried
As the sun came up over the jagged skyline,
The silence amplified our beating hearts
And I didn't answer when she asked why

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And I go walking alone near the St. Augustine bell
And thinking about you since you went away
We used to sit here and watch as the shadows played
And if I try real hard, I can remember that sound
Ringing out just like a clarion
Echoing off of the wall of the dark arcade

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You know being alone feels like I'm holding my breath
I try to be cool, I try to push it down
I walk like I know where to go on a Friday night
And the city streets are the fangs of a beast
Yeah it's always tired, but it never sleeps
I cry with the silence, dance with the freaks
Come on, I'm getting on into the unknown.