

## Mercury Rising

### From Autumn To Ashes

Every breath that I exhale is a sigh -  
Every breath that I exhale is a sigh of exhaustion.  
[repeating throughout]

How sad - this is what your life has been reduced to - a single  
room apartment containing no more than a mattress.

How sad when the strings have been removed from the blinds and  
all the outlets have been painted over.

And the television screen is streaked with blood smeared from y  
our knuckles as you were trying to punch it out but you underes  
timated its strength, or maybe you just weren't trying hard eno  
ugh.

Startled by a knock at the door you rise for the first time in  
two days to answer, but you can only greet the visitor with one  
short statement.

Hello my first name is

Distance and I really don't care if I never wake up again.

Hello my name is

Distance and I really don't care if I never wake up again.

Hello

I really don't care if I never wake up again.

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