

## Mascara

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There's a belt of sun dripping through a porthole  
In a set design  
Can you read your name?  
It's been so long since we blew from the inside  
So where have you been since you fell off the flat edge  
Of the world under an ugly sky  
You've been lying by  
But they meant you, dance under the moonlight  
Do what you think is the sum  
Of the flesh and blood  
Above there's small birds gone to trembling  
In for thousands of your years

You felt like crystal in your thighs  
You get four red candles  
On the table with your penis by your eyes  
You're the one that makes me realize  
Big water flowing through to tomorrow  
Through to your vacation  
Apples and cake must have been your stake  
[something about "a gallon of wine"] but the smile you send in my direction  
[Both: Makes me feel like I'm alive  
You're hidden by your wooden legs  
You're my kind, You're my kind

You always make me feel like a moon in my life  
Stay here in down at the world's edge, for a time  
It always makes me feel good to know you're alive, wrapping your ties  
Down by the whirlpool, I finally realized you must have bitten your snake,  
Your little guy

I've been insane well the time is slow  
I've been to a society where you can't see yourself and you can't feel  
l sunshine  
And if you see me roaming the hillside won't you come along? It's all  
gone to  
The top of yourself. You'll always be alone.  
The Pope don't matter when the pawn is your sea, don't you agree?

I like you in my love, makes me feel good just to know I can love someone like you.  
They'll make it hard for you choose. I can understand but when you see the tears coming you close  
Your eyes.  
To you I'm sure it's no surprise that I could be one of the dead.  
Thank god my underwear's full of lead without you. Without you.

When you're around I'm wound around your thumb. You wanna be numb inside the gun.  
All your different delights are one big fight against the baby inside

that you've mistaken for pain.