## **No Surrender Comes For Free**

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Your pupils are almost always pinned Fly like you will the shape of the wind Skating on ice at once thinning and thinned You wait to fall thru to do it again

Your eyes are like pins stabbing my neck Vampire needs on trains that you wreck Your heart is a ghost or barely a speck Play every game and load every deck

Your pupils so small go high to the end Internal worlds fall and dreams just descend Disguised all the time an enemy's friend Relationships die and never will mend

Under your skull clouds of pure bliss As you give in to the vampire kiss A cut in your heart appears on yer wrist Giving to time the denial of this

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Pills just dissolve in bellys of dust And float to your eyes emotion you trust Like Bob Dylan said life is sad and a bust But to get by you face what you must Rob from always on the run is so bad and copy paste is a sin All your lies can't save you now A selfish world that broke somehow Over the moon you jump like a cow As leaches of thoughts squirm under your brow

Tricks licks kicks and dicks All get bought and sold and mix Words break bones like stones and sticks As you run out of veins to fix

Shattered eyes still smiles wide Under clouds you love to hide You'd rather die than swallow pride As walls build up and up inside

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A cloudy demon with angel breath Floating forward backward death Nothing to gain and nothing left Just the evidence of theft

From yourself you stole what's true

If it could work I'd do it too Follow the lonely line of you Until there's no way to come back through

Bleeding eyes and holy toes Blissful fingers where no one goes The things you've done no one knows But what you hide still always shows

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