

## Burning Embers

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Were we ready, who's to say the answer?  
Who is ever ready for these things?  
No one could prepare us for the laughter  
No one could prepare us for the pain

You feel like burning embers  
You feel like coming home  
You feel like my forever  
And that's all I need/want/have to know

Every night I ask for your forgiveness  
In grown up skin I still act like a child  
I can make believe that I am flawless  
You're close enough to see the cracks I hide

You have caused me tears of joy relentless  
I cannot now imagine life without  
I owe you more than humble words could confess  
I love you more than I even know how

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You feel like my forever  
And that's all I need to know

You feel like Christmas morning  
You feel like summer rain  
You feel like holy waters  
That rinse away my stains

You feel like children singing  
You feel like midnight calm  
You feel like breathing deeply  
Until the storm is gone