

## Waves Of Fear

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Waves of fear, attack in the night  
waves of revulsion, sickening sights  
My heart's nearly bursting, my chest's choking tight

Waves of fear, waves of fear

Waves of fear, squat on the floor  
looking for some pill, the liquor is gone  
Blood drips from my nose, I can barely breathe  
waves of fear, I'm too scared to leave

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I'm too afraid to use the phone  
I'm too afraid to put the light on  
I'm so afraid I've lost control  
I'm suffocating without a word

Crazy with sweat, spittle on my jaw  
what's that funny noise, what's that on the floor  
Waves of fear, pulsing with death  
I curse my tremors, I jump at my own step  
I cringe at my terror, I hate my own smell  
I know where I must be, I must be in hell

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