

## Locust

## Machine Head

Sweet caress  
Grazes my skin  
It's loveless  
These hooks sink in  
Behind an angel's disguise  
An insect preys  
Mandibles cut like a knife  
A reckoning

Forming clouds  
Their shadow shrouds  
Louder the tattered wings they sound  
Descending down

Down they come  
The swarm of locusts  
Skies above  
Converge to choke us  
Feast of souls  
Consume the harvest  
Young and old  
Suffer unto the locust

Surrender  
These veins are bled  
Devoured  
Nothing sacred  
Strings pull the marionettes  
See how they dance  
Upon the winds that beget  
Our pestilence

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Bleeding from my eyes  
This plague is sent to erase us  
Bleeding from inside  
These vermin can't infiltrate us

Faith appears and holds a candle  
Hark the angels sing

Forming clouds  
Their shadow shrouds  
Louder the tattered wings they sound

Tear the veil  
The lies derail  
Purity ever will prevail

Trumpets sound  
The shattered crown  
Halos of truth now they surround  
The charade comes down

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