Lilith

Maggie Reilly

Lilith says gravity is nothing to fear She's been talking to angels Trying to find a way, to leave here She borrows, steels a smile, but she will not beg For grace, to let her fly this place She's made of more than borrowed bone And of another's perfect ghosts

I don't want to be lived with I don't want to be longed for I don't want to be lived with I don't want to long for

Lilith is wicked, 'cause she asks for more And her eyes are on Eden's door, ready for the fall He offers her silence, and they call it bliss Isn't it enough, to be desired in the pretty place? But heaven's orphan's on the run She's too busy to give apples to anyone She's a misunderstood myth in some new age bookstore And they're baring their breasts at the Lilith fair We're all a little too worried about our hair...

I don't want to be lived with I don't want to be longed for I don't want to be lived with I don't want to long for

Why is she wicked, 'cause she asks for more She says, "I'll make my way down below" And her love is all disorder And her eyes are on Eden's door, ready for the fall She's gonna come down hard oh, she's gonna come down hard... Somewhere in our blood, there's a woman of the earth With her difficult eyes, with her rags and her dirt She's howling questions at the sky She calls you to yourself in the middle of the night