

# Leviathan

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After the deadlock and dazzle  
As good as, or better than gold  
I lay down my guns on the table  
First scarlet, then blue growing cold

Black light and smoke  
Making a joke  
In the haze of a setting sun

Leviathan waits in the water  
Skeletons hide in the trees  
The hours crawl by like a spider  
Hangman is following me

At sorrow's door  
A century more  
In the rays of a setting sun

After the deadlock and dazzle  
Glitters at night like it's gold  
You lay down your heart if you're able  
First scarlet, then blue growing cold

Everyday a prayer  
For what I never knew  
But this is one I said for you