

## Half Mast

Refused

When freedom is in hiding from morality when you've finally scrubbed this  
great land clean of those values you hold in such high esteem when you've  
finally divorced the numbers from the names we can return to your good old  
days bound and gagged by sex and race chained by family crazed by god while  
we raise the flag shout down the past the stars and stripes stream by at  
half mast your eyes well up with tears and yeah so do mine I never knew the  
high price of hypocrisy so pledge allegiance to the death penalty believe in  
your drug war bow down to the tv set you need to cultivate that apathy that  
swells inside your throat raise the flag shout down the past your stars and  
stripes stream by at half mast your eyes well up with tears and yeah so do  
mine half mast dehumanized half mast divided half mast overloaded half mast  
who the fuck cares so long as you can sleep well under the iron fist.