

# Midnight Hands

Rise Against

Like a new day rising  
Like a calm before the storm  
Like fog lifting from valleys  
On a sleeping forest floor  
Eyes open slowly as the dust is shaken off  
To gaze upon the wreckage  
That the midnight hands have wrought

And now I  
I feel my temperature rising  
My body explode  
I feel like somebody's watching  
Like I'm not alone  
I stopped, I vowed right then and said that

Whatever path you take (the path you take)  
Wherever you might go (where you may go)  
Whenever you decide to leave  
I'll follow  
I'll follow

We face a crossroad never knowing what's in store  
There's an angel on my shoulder  
There's a devil at my door  
She proclaimed, "Tonight  
Will be the greatest of our lives"  
And I said, "Don't be so sure  
Let's just wait until the morning light"

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There in the clearing  
We gathered close  
Under the moon's pale light  
We lay out the tools  
"You don't have to do this  
But I forgive you if you don't"  
She just looked away  
And said, "I know"

Gripped by the midnight hands  
We cradle futures  
They would prevent  
Gripped by the midnight hands

The line's crossed over  
The dawn grows closer

Let's bite off too much  
Let's jump with a blind trust  
In water over our heads

Whatever path you take  
And wherever you might go  
And whenever you decide to leave  
I'll follow  
I'll follow

I won't bet on the falls you take (the falls you take)  
I won't let go if you started to stray  
I'll be there until you don't wake up, yeah  
I'll follow  
I will follow  
I will follow

Whatever path you take (I will follow)  
Wherever you might go (I will follow)  
Whenever you decide to leave (I will follow)