

# Nemesis

Shriekback

In the jungle of the senses  
Tinker Bell and Jack The Ripper  
Love has no meaning not where they come from  
But we know pleasure is not that simple

Very little, fruit is forbidden  
Sometimes we wobble, sometimes we're strong  
But you know evil is an exact science  
Being carefully, correctly, wrong

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We feel like Greeks we feel like Romans  
Centaur and monkeys just cluster round us  
We drink elixirs that we refine  
From the juices of the dying

We are not monsters, we're moral people  
And yet we have the strength to do this  
This is the splendor of our achievement  
Call in the air strike with a poison kiss

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How bad it gets, you can't imagine  
The burning wax, the breath of reptiles  
God is not mocked, He knows His business  
Karma could take us at any moment

Cover Him up, I think we're finished  
You know it's never been so exotic  
But I don't know, my dreams are visions  
We could still end up with the great big fishes

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