

## Denounced, Disgraced

### The Black Dahlia Murder

Traitor! How you've betrayed our blood  
Broken the bond that had set us apart  
From this world so unforgiving  
Can it be true that I once walked through fires with you  
Forced to cut you down just another enemy  
The road long fought to victory  
Cancerous poisoning anchored by this weakest link  
Turn your lying face in utter shame  
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We bury you now still while you breathe  
Dead as the void that you've left here in me  
Deeper and deeper spent memories  
Cremating all that would bear your disease  
An end is what you wanted, the end is what you'll receive  
Onward into battle forever we soldier unflinchingly undying and  
free

Forced to cut you down just another enemy stripped of immortality  
Cancerous poisoning how the smallest violin does sing  
As the obituarist cries out your cursed name  
Now as the towers fall crumbling at our feet  
Lay down your sword you must answer to me

Leper, banished to be  
We punish your treason unmercifully  
Liar, ears deaf to your pleas  
There'll be no remorse - no sympathy. Bleed!

That very blade which lead you to battle in defense of our name  
Shall cut a red ring 'round your throat  
To little too late the flood waters break  
While you've dared to call down the most savage of storms  
Violent reprisal written in blood  
To so cruelly be made an example of  
To so cruelly be made an example of  
This is war revenge has been sworn  
Ha! As the towers fall crumbling at your feet  
Lay down your sword you must answer to me  
Now! Impaled pariah disown your majesty  
Your grave been not welcome here amidst the halls of elite