## **The Unrecovered One**

The Roches

Here I am I'm the unrecovered one You can talk to me if you want to if you want to You can shun me.

I stumble through the streets with my pride and my arrogance I spit right in your face when you invite me to dance I go months and years at a time terminally unique With my pills and my bottle of wine I am very very very very very very very weak.

I can't get out of bed the hangover's got my head So I forgot to take the garbage out and put the kid to bed We're all wandering around in my house Like the night of the living dead I'm someone that you can look at and be glad You're not me instead.

Underneath your sobriety and your piety and your quiet There's a human being there who's got a spirit and has to Learn how to fly it.

The controls are on the panel And the manual's in the flotation device. But if it comes to Using that you've already crashed through thin ice.

I'm not saying I'm better than you I feel like you're saying You're better than me You say "Tough luck I sobered up and now I'm running the Company" Your Higher Power he's like my God he'll take you out in a Flash you'll see And do the same for all your loved ones and the ones like me You pity.