Blood Vaults (I - Thy Virginal Malodour)

The Ruins of Beverast

Red moon returns... For the blood that dried on the dungeon walls For centuries of insidious estrangement That witnessed a slow disfigurement of pale faces

Unfamiliar with perversions to desecrate Their pious deeds

Red moon returns... To rip open the scars of the soul that vowed Laid bare for burning Like a process of moult

Sanctified flesh breeds dense crimson fume And reeks...

An eerie procession Descending into darkness godforsaken Intoning solemn psalms of sadism and malevolence Sing to sleep tormented bodies that writhe in horror Leave flesh ghastly perished, and screams fading unheard

Red moon returns... Lets the mind be swallowed That addicts to claustrophobia Thus it is written in unread books...

And may the bells awake the residual days Merely wounds are to be licked That weep with blood, not with wine.