

# Remember To Forget

Tiles

Here I stand unsteady  
Dignity in hand  
Trapped inside a vacuum  
Hostage in wonderland  
I try to run slipping & sliding  
Stumbling blindly off the cliff  
What if - adrift - I can't get back  
Numb I can't understand what's been done  
By the other hand  
This is now it's not the same  
The anguish calls to stake it's claim  
Sharp in relief time creeps on by

I try to make my peace  
With what is & what might be  
Home in another time  
Memories persist without rhyme  
Sounds trigger thoughts trigger pain  
Whispers of doubt still remain  
Clinging to regret  
I struggle to resist  
Scars that won't forgive  
Can't I remember to forget?

Paranoia building a wall  
Naive misconceptions  
Feeding a future I cannot recall  
Chaos as I think & feel  
Groping blind for the truths that I conceal  
Allalone upon my throne  
Intentions fail to lift the stone  
Wear the badge of resentment proud

I try to make my peace  
With what is & what might be  
Home in another time  
Safe & secure of some things  
I could be assured

Walk the slippery slope of the past  
I choose to dress up my burden  
Call it salvation as it drags me down

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Shackles rust as I release the past  
Free from bitterness  
Without looking back I can  
Remember to forget