

## Afraid

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It must feel pure to be so sure  
About every little thing  
But there's no cure for that angst of yours  
That tugs at you like a string  
Because you're afraid, afraid to know  
To know the answer  
'Cause you're afraid that it will burn  
You're afraid to learn  
A nervous tic, you're being tricked  
By somebody else's god  
A little bit sick and a whole lot addicted  
There's another crack in the facade  
Because you're afraid, afraid to see  
To see the reason  
'Cause you're afraid the tide has turned  
And you're afraid to learn  
Because you're afraid, afraid to hear  
To hear the accusations  
'Cause you're afraid of what you've earned  
You're afraid to learn  
Why suffer for nothing?  
Suffer for something