

# The Patient

Tool

A groan of tedium escapes me  
Startling the fearful  
Is this a test?  
It has to be  
Otherwise I can't go on

Draining patience  
Drain vitality  
This paranoid, paralyzed vampire act's a little old

But I'm still right here  
Giving blood, keeping faith  
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Gonna wait it out...  
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be patient!..

If there were no rewards to reap  
No loving embrace to see me through  
This tedious path I've chosen here  
I certainly would've walked away  
By now

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If there were no desire to heal  
The damaged and broken met along  
This tedious path I've chosen here  
I certainly would've walked away  
By now

And I still may  
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Be patient  
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I must keep reminding myself of this  
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And I...

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