

Solitary (Signals Version)

VNV Nation

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Away, you wretched world of tethers.
Through the endless night and day
I have never wanted more.
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Before the faceless name of justice.
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And if rain brings winds of change
Let it rain on us forever.
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That I have never wanted more.
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As a symbol of beginning.
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In this picture stands a man,
Far away, alone and distant.
Like a solitary field
In some nameless foreign land.
All around him points of light
Start to dim and cease transmitting.
Shadows fell on futile games
And then there was nothing more.

Through the screams of falling steel.
By the light of flares and wisdom.
All the doubts I could not face.
All this time I wanted more.
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To the gods whose names we've lost
And the names who gave in vain.

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Sever the line to the guilty past,
To the ones who brought us nothing
Spoke of futures brave and proud
And brought only hate and war.
Lined the roads with hollow praise.
Marked the land with paper statues.
Shadows fell on their futile ways
And then there was nothing more.