

## Can't Say No

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It's why I can't say no  
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Oh, time has been beside me but must now let go  
I can't say  
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What an impeccable decision you've made  
What an inspiring speech you gave  
I would slam my fist through a wall of brick if I knew  
It'd reach you  
What an uncommon thing you say  
But so predictable in every way  
I want to scare you, I really do  
But, I can't ignore the truth

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Some years have passed and what was glass has now become snow  
And what I feel in place of a spoon fed fear is gone - unknown  
I am bundled tight so my arms don't strike, and will listen for the horn  
Away from games that place their aim at love this heart contains

## **Beat Is Gone**

Nervous eyes look to the sky  
To be sure that my ride is not here  
When he arrives on yellow clouds to take my life  
I need to see it

Misbehave  
Stop misbehavin'  
Misbehave  
Misbehavin'

Misbehave more everyday  
Wear my sins with a grin on my face  
Nervous I look to the sky  
Afraid to pay for messes I've made  
I've just squeezed my heart long, the colors bright  
But, the beat is gone  
I've just squeezed my heart long, the colors bright  
But, the beat is gone

## **Brooklyn Dark**

Young I had a brother had to share a room with me  
Stretch my little hands as far as he would let me reach  
Couldn't run inside the house or I'd fall through our hollow floors  
Into a sulfur-scented cell not bigger than the room before

Night would rest on summer's chest and pleasure did it find  
Lazy I became and I was punished with no light  
Forced to see blind grabbing things a child should not find  
And with every sense, a clean escape is not yet mine

Bones recall the feelings of what souls never find  
Stretch my little legs spoil this loving heart of mine  
Danger is a luxury that donated these gifts to me  
Stop him fast before he feeds on everything my freedom needs

## **Monster**

There was a lady tied on two sides  
Or so she looked to be  
Beneath the wreckage tragedy find  
There is no pushing free  
When deep in night rob us of daylight  
What happened to the heat?  
There was a lady tied on two sides  
She put the fear in me

Stop your tears it's not about you  
Hide your fears under the sand  
Come back now, the winds are patient  
This is where you'll reach an end

## **Oh This Currency**

I don't think I care for the way it pays  
But oh this currency's enough to build my home someday  
One breath will press my chest down, I think I'll stay  
But will it be the same once I have broken the machine

Though unlikely, I'd like to hide from any differences  
Re-evaluate my leadership and complete this thing I've started with

This is my number  
But no matter where I stand  
It's never called up  
No one wants to take my hand  
There goes my patience  
I'm not gonna chase it down  
No, what's the reason?  
Someone's got to hear me now

Don't you understand when I talk like this  
But oh, I think you recognize my voice as a fist  
Please won't you take my white teeth as a relief?  
Behind them lies a sharpened tongue that you have yet to see

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## **Sleep and the Heart**

This tide  
Has brought a box of many things to me that are not mine  
This book  
This robe  
This frame  
Where am I?

Clap my hands to see if it comes back to me  
Strike a match to re-surface my memory  
The air is thick and speaks to me as I analyze  
A room replaced with furniture that is not mine

(we can replace it, if you're scared)  
No...  
(all you must do is rest your head)  
No...

(we can replace it, if you're scared)  
No...  
(all you must do is rest your head)  
No...

Sleep and the heart  
Refill my memory give me a start  
Show me the land, as I remember it I want a chance

## **Discipline Your Hands**

Right place

Right time

You're looking real laced up but something's just not right

Your hands show their age in light

You fear the dreadful weight of an un-lived life

So you twist back

And then you fall

It feels right, but something feels so wrong

The light shows your youth in light

You'll say my life had been lived at least for just one night

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Right time

You wanna dance but it

It's not right...

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