## **Tug of War**

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I pull, you push, it's something wicked Request, refused, an obscure menace Who wins? Who loses? Who is forgotten? No peace allowed, words are forbidden

Trying to bury me alive; I ain't dead yet Like the devil's false compromise

I am the source, you're the curse You rise, I fall. The root of evil I bet, you choose, perfect gamble I played your rules, judge and beholder

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First hunt, round two, clash of egos You tread my rope, lack of reason Like sharks on blood, dancing rhythmless The well of hope, struggle prison

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Tug of war rages on

You crawl, I roll, we feed each other We've lost control, settled scores What's hate? What's love? What's the difference? Who's hunt? Who's the prey? How did this start?

The noise silence, it resounds inside my head Like shattered glass against the wall

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