

Echo or Encore

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I want you all around me
Envelop me in sound
Smother me, pummel me
Cover me, humble me
The silence with noise
With a song in your voice
I adore you as before
Your echo or your encore
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I tried to crawl inside you
Where every whisper is deaf
Inside your echo chamber
Surrender to the breath
Wrap yourself around me
Play me just one more
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The rain was drumming on the band's red roof
And as the shepherd sang
The skylight got battered
Above us as proof
When I sang the shepherd's song
And the rain still didn't stop
It only keeps us guessing
Mussing, messing, fussing 'til you drop
And you go, you're a ghost
And everything I sing here is set in stone
And you go, and you go
And everything you say here is set in stone
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