

## Bloody Murder

American Steel

Hidden tombs and solitude  
hunger stikes or belly aches  
handcuffed pines and crossed picket lines  
sacrifice is a tear away

Barren plans, buried two fingers beneath the sand  
overdoses or body shakes  
a wet dream for a dry spell  
addiction is a tear away

When the booms a bust and profits gone  
by war cry or swan song  
we'll be here like before and evermore

Nothing to lost is a tear away

Obese and unnatural and wearied of the weight  
sacred heart or blessed fall  
salvation is a tear away

Murder bloody murder  
suicide pact the world over  
stillborn slaves can't fill mass graves  
sooner than their share has been reserved  
peasant mobs and kings for a day  
your loves are fleeting when so unjust  
for bleeding hearts drain fast with steadfast lust

Sobs for tyranny are a tear away