

# Here Be Dragons

Avantasia

See them talk insistently  
You don't get a word  
While you pretend  
Keep your stance despairingly  
And lock your world away

Here we go  
Oh yeah (Hide away)  
Come with me, come with me, oh

A carol from the edge of the world resounds  
Don't be ashamed now as it carries your name  
In the streets of indifference, they're asleep anyway

There be dragons  
There be magic, there be shadow, there be rain  
A glimmer in the veil of haze  
It calls you down the rabbit hole

Step in from Amusia Town  
For how long have they been abusing you  
You will not believe your eyes  
Marvel at the other side

Hideaway  
Neath an illusion  
You believe  
You're deceived  
'Til your eyes will agree:  
Here be dragons  
Hideaway  
Poise in confusion  
What a night  
What a show  
What a diablerie  
Here be dragons

Now you feel like a soul in a plaything  
A hoop in the street beneath a dowel to beat  
And you ain't got no choice  
'Cause you know you ain't free  
I know what it's like  
'Cause you're just like me

Looking around: isolation!  
Not a woman, not a man  
Just the scorn of town again

Tried to face the sun just like everyone  
You shared your dreams and promises

Come right through the door  
For you'll pine no more aimlessly

Running from the devil you've been taught to know  
We reach out through your mind  
Await you inside

Hideaway  
Delve into dreams unknown  
Make yourself at home  
There'll be dragons  
You won't be alone  
Hideaway  
Where the wild rose will turn its bloom  
To the light of the moon  
Be unheard-of wonder  
A spell on you

Here be dragons  
Be astoundment and wonder  
It's a world over yonder  
Here be not known  
Here be souls that abide you  
Here be tender just like you, oh

Here be dragons  
Here be magic  
Here be just you and I

There'll be confusion  
When astounding illusion  
And the straight old world pother  
Flow into one another

In the Moonflower Garden  
You see logic unpardoned  
Here you're freak  
Dare it! To be!  
The crazy and lonely

And you're turning the key  
You've been tucking away  
When they told you to hand  
Everything to allay your dreams  
Your longing on your way

She felt that she's just a boy like others  
Nestled in a cozy small-town life  
Kept it up until she'd leave for good  
When she ceased to try

You could never really see his burden  
Who would tell just by an off-beat stance?  
You would ask, but you'd await that moment  
Missed the final chance

He'd meander down an old-town pavement  
On a lonely bleak October night  
Why would anybody pour their poison  
Without keen insight?

She saw the world through eyes of innocent simplicity  
A pristine soul dragged in a dark world play  
Thereafter never spoke a word no more  
But eyes revealed why she'd float away

Here be a world you hold inside  
Here be rebirth, here be unwind  
Here be unknown, or likes of you

Here be the wharf, the ship of fools  
  
Afraid you might wake up there  
Estranged, out of your mind  
And you won't even know what's left behind

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