

## Mute

### Caligula's Horse

I made mountains, I shook the earth below  
Flood from the fountain, I carved my name in stone  
And I stood on the mountain with nothing in the way  
Feet firm on the mountain with no voice to speak  
And nothing left to say

The heart beats in your breath  
So in breathing, be for a while  
Not yours, but our breath  
Not yours, but our breath  
It's not yours  
You breathe with me  
And speak in this broken and empty voice  
Of ours

The world breathes you till dead you lie  
Won't you sing to me for a while?  
My voice is your voice  
Not yours, but our voice  
So rejoice, ensnared with me  
Enchained in this stasis that left me mute

And I've seen how soon we erase  
Illuminate and save us both, and I  
I swear I'll do what it takes  
Illuminate the way back home, and run into light  
But fixed there by defeat, I was feet firm when the ground gave way

I am the silence you deserve  
You've no redemption coming  
Oh, look at you, smiling as you lie  
The gift you have for taking  
Are you still waiting for the colour from the hate  
You thought you could hide in you?

So who could save me now?  
There was no salvation when the river ran dry  
Oh, so many times that I put out that fire  
But who could save me now?  
In the muse, a liar sedating me  
Show no mercy, I'll take a final bow  
But who could save me now?  
It was you that held the line  
You fought that fight  
And in the year we died, you found yourself alive  
But who could love me now that I am broken?  
That I am this?  
These shards of broken glass, the future in my hands  
Who could love me now?

Hope left, but I made mountains  
Find the road, illuminate it

I've seen the view as it wakes  
Illuminate and crave for hope again  
I swear I'll do what it takes  
Illuminate, I'm running home on

On the road to ruin

I started walking with gauze still in my mouth and tried to keep from choking

On the road to ruin, we let the ground give way

With one voice to speak, and everything to save