

# CEMETERY WANDER

Carnifex

Graves beneath my feet  
Dead grass and dead memories  
These are the stories of the recently deceased  
17 years old I still remember the day  
My life changed when I lowered a child into the grave

Her mother stood over her, cuffed and chained  
With her moment of silence, this is what she said  
I love you little angel, I didn't mean what I did  
No I love you's brought anyone back from the dead  
They walked her out of there, shot gun in her back  
I have so many memories and a lot are worse than that  
Dead in my arms  
We've already been there

The soldier that took his life, in front of his wife  
She watched a bullet leave the back of his head  
Life just isn't right  
We did an open casket for him that day  
When I close my eyes I can still see his face

I'm not saying life is pointless  
In the context of time and space  
We are not important  
Find what you love, hold it close  
Make the most of it  
Two teenage couples out on graduation night  
Celebrating all the things ahead of them in life  
My morning was three teenagers in the reefer  
One in ICU but death still got to her

I saw her ghost in the cemetery later that same day  
Blonde hair pulled back, I know it's cliché

Cemetery wander and I remember  
Every body I put in the ground  
Three bodies a day for three years  
I've got so many of ghosts around  
I laid my hands on every single one  
I knelt and prayed with their loved ones  
I locked the casket when it was done

Let's give in to our true nature  
Turn on the ones you love  
Eat the young  
I have baggage  
I have demons  
You don't want to meet them  
You don't want to see them

I laid six souls in the ground that day  
Maybe that's why they stick to me  
I just want you to hear it  
I just want you to feel it  
You know I'm laughing at these lyrics  
I just need you to get it  
I just need you to live it

And never forget it  
I just want you to cringe  
So think twice about reading this

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