

# For Him

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He's a vampire

He won't show you his teeth until it's too late

You'll be on some mountain highway thinking, "Ain't this great?  
"

In some sports car with the top down, that's when he'll eat you

Yes, he will eat you

Gobble up your insides till you're see-through

Shake away whatever ground's beneath you

Until life feels like a cage he holds the key to

There's a million reasons you might leave me, I don't have to tell you

A million reasons I can see why you might wanna go

It's fine to leave me

Just please don't leave me for him

He's a parasite

He'll suck up all the air and make it feel like

What's left for you belongs to him, it's not right

And maybe decades down the road, you'll come to realize

He's carbon dioxide

And I promise you, his charms come from the wrong side

Of everything I love, this is my insight

Am I reading this all wrong? Am I the bad guy?

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A million reasons I can see why you might wanna go

It's fine to leave me

Just please don't leave me

A million ways I failed to say whatever needed saying

A million ways I understand, but still, I need to say

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