## **Beneath the Surface**

## **Dream Theater**

Is there ever really a right time You had led me to believe Someday you'd be there for me

When the stars above aligned When you weren't so consumed I kept looking for the clues

So I waited in the shadows of my heart And still the time was never right

Until one day I stopped caring
And began to forget why I longed to be so close
And I disappeared into the darkness
And the darkness turned to pain
And never went away
Until all that remained
Was buried deep beneath the surface

A shell of what things could have been

Tired bones beneath a veil
Of guarded secrets all too frail
Sad to think I never knew
You were searching for the words
For the moment to emerge

Yet the moment never came
You couldn't risk my fragile frame

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And began to forget why you tried to be so close
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I would scream just to be heard As if yelling at the stars I was bleeding just to feel

You would never say a word Kept me reaching in the dark Always something to conceal

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