Wake me up at midnight You charge me like a payphone Every time we talk Meet me in the pink light Right off I-75 Right before the fall

You hop inside my car with a tear Say, "There's nothing like the fear of losing truth"

I just wanna try to protect you like your skin protects your blood I just wanna keep you safe the way the forest keeps her young And if I ever let you go, then my whole kingdom's done I hold to your heart like it's palladium I hold to your heart like it's palladium

Evergreen and asphalt
Dancing on the billboards
First ones on the scene
And when I call you 'baby'
You smoke up like a chimney
You're too afraid I'll leave

Careful with the moon in your eyes
Say, "There's nothing like the fear of losing truth"

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Tell me what you need, baby love

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Let me come on over with a touch
I'll make the sky our arena
I'll be Orion, you're Athena
Tell me what you want, baby love
Let it pour out with a touch
I'm only good when I protect you
You try to fall but I won't let you

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