

## The High Price of Inspiration

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The mirror's stained with dirty looks;  
At least it never lies.  
The muse is calling down the hall,  
Come on, let's get high.

The high price of inspiration  
Always leaves me broken.  
But I keep coming back for more,  
Still I take no caution.

Inspiration with some wings  
Is what I'm looking for.  
Inspiration with no strings  
I'd like that even more.

I'll fly me to a better place  
Plan this safe and sound.  
Don't you worry, I'll be back  
If I ever become tense.

Pretty sure I'll make it,  
If I get through today.  
Or I'll see tomorrow,  
There is always hell to pay.

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