

# Breathe

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Uprooted me, hung from the loop of the tree  
Top of the world where I can see you  
Lead in my hand punctured the skin  
Poisoned the blood that was running within

Down, down on my knees  
Where I will weep as my head topples down  
At the hands of the cheap  
Oh what to do?  
Oh what to do?  
Oh what to do?

Breathe, breathe  
Breathe, breathe

Growin' up, throwin' up  
You throttle us choking and smokin' us  
Puff cough spit  
The ash of the fed as you fled  
We burned, you burned as you buried the dead

Oh what to do?  
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Breathe, breathe  
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A purple heart once gave you eyes  
At 17 we tripped the light  
You saw the life, we danced the breeze  
I remember you, don't forget about me  
Don't forget about me  
Don't forget to

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Breathe, breathe

Lead in the air as you drive around town  
In the rain complaining you can't get around  
Is the sky getting lower or are you getting higher  
Your mind's getting smaller as time's ticking by

Breathe, breathe  
What to do? What to do? Oh what to what to do?  
Breathe