

## Shake

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Don't leave me is all I hear you say  
Somehow it keeps me from all the plans that I've made  
Your promises sparkle, I tell myself not to believe  
The things that I want lose out to the one that I need

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A dream cannot wake itself  
The truth cannot disgrace itself  
An unwritten prayer cannot save the lost soul  
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A heart cannot break itself  
And I cannot shake myself from you

We both know there's only so much a person can take  
Only so far you can reach on a so long you can carry that weight  
So some of us learn how to live with what we know we can't fix  
So we walk all and act proud and pretend that it's better than  
it is

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As you pursway me to throw the rest of my life away