Bought angel wings in West Hollywood So I wouldn't stand out when I pray Picked them up at baggage claim Thank you, God, I love to leave LA Pretend to turn twenty-two Watching the water slide deflate Swimming circles around an icy pool Rain on the ice cream cake

Went through the trouble of being reborn
But there was nothing to be done
Everything is new to me
And I am new for no one

The sea pulled me down the sand bank
The waves melting into my lap
A pearl forming in my belly
Don't stop now just like that
Current grabbed me by the ankle
Inhaled water, black as night
Gave up my last breath in this body
For a shot at a second try

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Said that I looked the same to you But I'd seen the white light Glowing like only the moon used to The sand on my hands crystallized Asked for a postmortem cigarette Only came back to quit smoking Thought I might've missed you Course I did I'm only joking

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