

# Illusions

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Don't be so alarmed, it's like an IV to your arm  
With morphine and you're feeling like you're going through with  
drawals

Rose-colored windows, cardboard-cut pictures  
Addicted to fiction and the glamorous facades

Money is just an agreement  
Fame was just giving them freedom  
Beauty is what you believe in, it's not built to last

Tunnel vision, stars in your eyes  
Cut the connection, you've been hypnotized  
The world is such bullshit, so leave it behind  
Kill your illusions, come back to life, oh, oh

Don't feel so ashamed even if the arrows were aimed  
At you, and you knew that no one even cared  
No matter how cold they are, or what bullshit they tell you  
You're brighter than a flashlight and you're better than them t  
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Power is just an illusion  
Love is the only solution  
Freedom is a state of mind, not bound by the past

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Now the curtain's lifting  
Reality is shifting  
The colors are vivid and the truth is slowly revealing  
Crying to them is not worth it  
They will only pull the curtains  
They will leave even desert you, but it's all in the past

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