

# PARADOX

## The Pretty Wild

Tear off my skin, rip it off  
I feel the tension, I feel it crawl  
A thousand lives in a single soul  
Split by duality's pull  
An eternal curse

Dissociating, slipping back into the void  
Consciousness is fading rationally paranoid  
(Consciousness is fading rationally paranoid)

This weight I carry  
In this life and afterlife  
Empires buried  
Under cryptic sands of time  
And I lost myself to finally find  
In death we live, through life we die

Caught in a paradox  
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Caught in a paradox

In the chaos I find peace on emptiness I feed  
Insecurities flooding my brain  
Normalizing feeding the pain  
Inherited trauma to my DNA  
And I'm taking advice from the demon in me  
Suffocate in the ways that I perceive  
Hate what I love and I love what I hate  
Beginning to drain my ethereal energy  
Make all the past burn away  
Just let my body decay  
The closer to the light I blackout (Blackout)  
The more control I gain, I crash out, crash out

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I'll break the world long before it breaks me  
Tear me apart, no casket can case me  
I'll break the world long before it breaks me  
Beyond the veil and back again

We're back  
Summon the reckoning  
Bring me out  
Take a knife to my ego, it's a lie, it's a lie  
Bring me out  
Take a knife to my ego, make it tight, make it tight

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Caught in a paradox  
Caught in a paradox (Caught in a paradox)  
Caught in a paradox (Lost myself to find)  
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