

## Empty From The Start

Saltwound

Cancerous  
Mouths are foaming  
Sycophants  
Picking clean  
Everything they couldn't hope to be  
So pick up the pieces  
Tell me how easy it is to stitch up a heart  
Count the flies above your head  
Motherfucker, you were empty from the start

Serenity  
Fades beneath avarice and greed  
Deceivers remain  
What does the flesh attain  
Falling in sync  
The façade does not breathe  
Show me the God of your endeavors  
I'll show you how God can bleed

Your vision tunnels  
Forsake the climb  
Like a hammer to a nail  
Leave your day ones behind  
Pray for a decent life  
But when the sky turns to grey  
You'll be alone and cold  
And wishing that the bridge didn't burn away

Callous  
This deafening medley  
Seeking remedy  
Every misstep that you made  
All of your pain  
All your hate  
Trace it all back to the emptiness holding your name

No salvation  
Severance

Malice holds your heart  
You vapid motherfucker  
I had you pegged  
From the fucking start