## **Severance**

## Saltwound

Insolvent
The lights are down
So wrap up the play
You had your chance to be something
But you wasted it leeching off me

Hold me back by a chain
Lock me away in a hell
Where I'm forced to find solace in violence
I've run out of mileage
We sell our clichés
And the broken kids buy this shit

So bring out your violins
And play me a eulogy dressed up in silence
My fucking passions in ashes
All hope is dead

(All hope is dead, all hope is dead) (All hope is dead, all hope is dead)

The voice that's pulling me downward Whispered its name in my ear Severance

Another broken cycle
Crippling me
Under the weight of the things
That I wanted to be
I won't
Sell my silence to stave off an indictment
(Think you could hide from me?)
I fucking got you
You rancid fuck

When powers authority is vested
And the angels sing of blood that they've shed
Our pain is
Packaged
Sold like a commodity
Strip me to the fucking bone

## Despondent

The starving child savors the taste When we consume the host A paradise we annihilate

Pulling levers
Savoring consequence
Tension rising
Knives dulling
Severance

Forsaken by God The Hell that stays here All hope is fucking dead Severance Set me free