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Lanterns illumine me  
Burning the memory  
Rise innocent, rise innocent

What rage will usher me  
Swallow the enemy  
Buy innocence, buy innocence  
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Or is the long war won  
The army in me gone  
Overrun  
To heal this violent son  
A breath from one last lung  
Overcomes

Pull out the song from every open mouth at once  
The lantern tongues  
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The lantern tongues  
And I will hear the song in every heart at once  
The roaring drums  
The harlot and the priest, the prophet and the thief  
Up from their knees  
In all their open mouths I see the lantern tongues  
Light up at once  
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