

# The Old Witch Sleep And The Good Man Grace

The Amazing Devil

There's a fire burning  
And I'm learning to be  
So much more than my tiredness  
So much more than that old witch sleep wishes  
She kisses my eyelids  
And I breathe

"You don't have to be brilliant"  
She says as she scrolls  
Through the roles that the millions  
Of hollering hollow folk know how to play  
It's okay  
They're just shadows searching for light  
They can't stay

"Sleep now", oh, she says  
"Tomorrow's jokes have yet to be laughed at or said  
Just rest now", she moans  
Then the hollow folk come  
Pour me wine by my bed  
And their dead hollers hum at the things that I've said  
And say no, no, no, no

'Cause you are in the earth of me  
You are in the earth of me  
My head's not yours, it's mine  
'Cause you are in the earth of me

Somehow now I'm drinking  
And I'm lifting my glass  
To that last good man grace  
Who has left me, he's left me at last  
And I laugh, and I laugh  
'Cause laughing right now, it's all, it's all that I have

"You're better than this"  
He says as a hand slaps my face and I stand  
And say no good man grace  
I can't do this (You can)  
I can't do this (You can)  
I can't do this (You can)  
I can't do this you don't understand

"Oh sleep now", oh, she pleads  
You're not a coward 'cause you cower  
You're brave because they broke you  
Yet broken still you breathe  
So breathe, breathe just breathe

Then the hollow folk pour me  
Another shard full of glass  
And I toast to their talents  
And I forgive them at last  
'Cause I know, oh I know, I know

That you are in the earth of me  
You are in the earth of me

My head's not yours, it's mine  
And I'll take my fucking time  
'Cause I know, I know, I know

Let's bury this

I'm all yours  
But you're all mine  
Let's dance together  
You and I  
'Cause I'm not trapped  
With you, you see  
You're the one who's  
Trapped with me  
'Cause I've been here so many times before  
Don't you think I look pretty  
Curled up on this bathroom floor  
But where you see weakness I see with  
Sometimes I fall to pieces  
Just to see what bits of me don't fit  
'Cause when I stand, oh all those folks will run  
And tell the tales of what I've become  
They'll speak of me in whispered tones  
And say my name like it shakes their bones  
'Cause we'll dance together so close we're sharing breath  
But now I'm leading, doesn't that just scare you to death  
'Cause I'm all yours  
You're all mine  
Let's dance together  
You and I

'Cause I'm not trapped oh  
With you you see  
You're the one who's  
Trapped with me oh oh  
Oh  
Oh-oh

'Cause you are in the earth of me  
You are in the earth of me  
My head's not yours, it's mine  
And I'll take my fucking time  
'Cause I know, I know, I know