

## Before I Leap

## The Awakening

If I could only for a moment  
If I could look before I leap  
To test it out before diving  
To test to see how deep

When I'm alone, dressed up in crayon  
Pulling burdens from the weak  
For just to look in her direction  
To bear the cause or bear deceit

Oh but the night time is where it breeds  
Feed on the night time, feelings bereaved  
Oh but the night time is what I need

Thought I'd improve my concentration  
A little more breathing space  
But I'm suffocated by the ventilation  
That circles 'round this hollow place

Oh but the night time...

It doesn't matter where the hurt is  
It's only worse when it's dark  
I see her face and then the burning  
Tomorrows breathe into a spark

If I could learn from past disaster  
That left my mind a riddled fuse  
When eyes were turned to the hereafter  
And life had seemed so far removed

Oh but the night time...