

## To Feel This Way

### The Call

A million stars were circling  
In the world above my head  
As I drifted back in memory  
To all the things we said  
Turning my attention  
To the pain that I denied  
It was never my intention  
To ever say goodbye

Maybe I could have won this war  
Maybe I could have changed  
If only wisdom courted me  
And not this fear and shame  
The ties that bind and bless the soul  
Have bound me up in chains  
Your love cuts through my weakened heart  
And memories twist the blade

I thought of you and nothing more  
I needed nothing else  
I cried the day you left me  
I should never have allowed myself to feel this way

I wonder where you sleep at night  
I wonder where you've been  
I envy all your family  
I envy all your friends  
The answer looms in front of me  
And though I cannot see  
I believe in ancient promises  
I believe that I am free

But love comes as a great offense  
Like innocence betrayed  
I don't think you'll recognize me  
On the other side of day  
But then I never felt this way

A million eyes were watching  
From the world above my head  
And I swear they saw right through me  
And the lie that I had led  
The stranger enters quietly  
He braves the heat and cold  
Through a deep dark haunted passageway  
That leads into the soul

Let no one be mistaken  
Death makes memories of us all  
It's the purpose that confounds me  
I should never have allowed myself to feel this way