

## Dear Wormwood

The Oh Hellos

When I was a child, I didn't hear a single word you said  
The things I was afraid of, they were all confined beneath my bed  
But the years have been long, and you have taught me well to hide away  
The things that I believed in, you've taught me to call them all escapes

I know who you are now

There before the threshold, I saw a brighter world beyond myself  
And in my hour of weakness, you were there to see my courage fail  
For the years have been long, and you have taught me well to sit and wait  
Planning without acting, steadily becoming what I hate

I know who you are now

I have always known you, you have always been there in my mind  
But now I understand you, and I will not be part of your designs

I know who I am now  
And all that you've made of me  
I know who you are now  
And I name you my enemy

I know who I am now  
I know who I want to be  
I want to be more than this devil inside of me