

## Lacrimosa

### Tribulation

Shining starlike, luminous like a ghost  
Homeward bound, back through the deeps and out  
Translucent skin, so pale and cold  
This image reflects the doubt  
But time itself is old

In the hollows deep and wide  
In the depths forever more  
I'll bewail you and all of those before

Your place is here in all the things foretold  
Forever remember, never to forget  
Those tears of quartz, perpetual  
Chrysolite, jasper and agate  
But time itself is old

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Lacrimosa, Sancta Mater Dolorosa  
Black wings of death unfold

Reunited and returned  
To the black womb of the abyss  
Back in time, back to the shadowy lands of old