

The Kindred (Salem 1692)

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[Narrator:]

Evil perished the day

Or so they thought when there stood in pale

On trial with hands tied to her back

All but a child told to be taught of heresy[The Onlooker:]

The demons in cloaks arrive and light the pyres high

Whilst hiding behind the doctrine built on scriptures of liesThe wicked Kindred watch with pride

With the icon of their malice at side

None here will regret today

As virtue ends up lost in flames[The Elders Of The Village:]

So You've come here to slay all the witches?

On Your mission straight from God

To justify Your faith it seems our women at the stakes must die[The Onlooker & The Wise Man:]

Tears all mingle with her blood

Does fall for the teachings from above

With torture meant to drive us all to the shackles of their lies

For all are sinners in the eyes of God

Until we all belong to the likes of Him

(With devine right) To see to it that all nonebelievers die[High Priest To His Loyal Subjects:]

Bring them to their knees

For to spread the gospels the best tool is fear of God

And all the sins we do create to keep them all at bay

And have them pay in blood and finally their beliefs[The Inquisitors To The Villagers:]

In this year of our Lord, by the grace of our hordes

We have come to save You from Your afterlife

Though most of You will die, be sure though to abide

Salvation lies after a lifetime of submission[The Villagers:]

Are we to pay in blood and all our wealth

For plain intimidation of this hell?

When facing all the wealth we here possess

This image of Your God seems so much less[With Hindsight:]

But we were given no choice.

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