Tragic

Grieves

[Verse 1:]

They say that lightning never strikes twice In the same spot when it's landed You ought to see the thundercloud I'm trapped in Head down looking for a tactic Trying to find a way up out the gravity around me I'm attached to stuck Floating on luck like a river raft was Spitting up love like it's ipecac If in fact there's a quicker path to diminish that I'm a get a first class ticket just to finish last Often, who's watching, chip another crooked ass tooth on my options The blues never had a use for it's caution And cut right through me like a razor bladed harsh wind Yeah, I guess I'm living off a habit, And digging up graves just to reseal the casket Bold-faced, marching to the middle of the havoc Just so I can sing a song about it all

Tragic

[Hook:]

You act like this can save me, hey hey hey
You act like I don't know, you don't know
I act like I've gone crazy, and all of this can save me,
But I don't really know

[Verse 2:]

I don't know no more my brother, me and my blue sensitivities

Look at all that this music has given me

Intimately in tune with my misery

I can spin bad news to a symphony

I ain't a boy in a bubble, I'm a man in touch with my joy and my trouble

Got a fighting chance at love in this ugliness,

I think hope deserves to know what she's up against

Blues and 12s I write 24s, life's twice as hard, fighting with the cards

Those chosen the moment we were born

Highs and lows, joys and woes, they're yours

Chase the blues and one day you're gonna catch them

Sing em all you want, you gonna wish you never met them

Humming the ballad of the paper-thin jacket

Trapped in the rain again

Tragic [Hook:]

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[Verse 3:]

I don't know what the deal is,
But lately I've been looking through a thick glass
Squinting just to see the smidgen of the kickbacks
My little ticker only flickers with a mishap
And lashes out at me every time that I admit that
Look at what I did with the ashes,
Smoking in the boy's room, ditching out of classes
Hands full of shattered stained glass with a grasp tight around it
Just enough to make a couple wounds last
As scars, medals, rose pedals,

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Scattered on the path like it's Hansel and Gretel
Burn from the water I splash from the kettle
In efforts to make a documentation of what I went through
Hell, I guess I'm playing from the attic,
Pulling up the floorboards, digging up the hatchet
Firm footed, standing in the middle of the static
Just so I can sing a song about it all

Tragic [Hook:]

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