

King of Ashes

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I'm the king of ashes
Nothing from the flame survives
Hands can turn the tides
I have been consumed The road runs straight from Tarsus
But I am mystified
I would you were by my side
These are mortal wounds
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Yeah yeah And they cannot hear my plea
They will not play my tunes
Melodies in rented rooms
Price for seein' true But I can't court fashion
Let me be who I am
Far from savage lands
I will be renewed
I will be renewed
Yeah yeah The king of ashes
Whoever's by my side
Across the great divide
Marry, I'll love you The king of ashes
My heart is open wide
I pray you're satisfied
And it's all that I can do
It's all that I can do
Yeah yeah yeah

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