## **These Bones**

## **Dashboard Confessional**

Lay my bones at the feet of the ministry I need the guilt and the company I need the chance to be judged And then long forgotten Lately I just can't shake it I count the days in seconds and minutes Hours and hours are subtle As shards of glass in the skin So lay with me I could use the company You could help me ease These bones are like maps and keys Where they took their hits And they felt those teeth There's a story hidden underneath If you dig in deep, will you find relief? For these bones shudder all night long The hammer drops another scar For these bones but I know They're only my second home Naked and under the cover of night It's just a matter of time 'til I'm Counted and measured and filed And then long forgotten Forgive my manner of speaking I know it's quick but the clock is still ticking And I've got a few words left Burning holes on my tongue I've been saving them So lay with me I could use the company You could help me ease These bones are like maps and keys Where they took their hits And they felt those teeth There's a story hidden underneath If you dig in deep, will you find relief? For these bones shudder all night long The hammer drops another scar

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