Truth, Bitter Truth

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Where did it go to, my youth?
Where did it fade away to?
Who was it told the truth, the bitter truth
The truth we didn't want to know?What is it?
Do you know?
What is it?
Can I bear it?
Who did it?
Do I care?
Who is it?
When did it happen and where?Why did you let me know
How could you think I'd stand it?
You knew I'd pay you back
I did it, and it happened?
Do you care?Where did it go to, my youth?
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The truth we didn't want to know?Who is he?
Do you know?
This man of power but a fool
They said he was so high and pure
They also said that he was cruelThey killed him, did you see?
They knew he couldn't take it
They wanted lies? he said the truth
They did it?
And it happened?
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