Permanent Hurt

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What is that fallin' out of your eyes?

What is that rollin' on down your shit?

Thunder and lightnin' from the bloodshot skies

This time its feelin' like a permanent hurtWhat is that lipstick up on his sleeve?

Where's the forgiveness thats stronger than dirt?

Tearin' the words out when you ask him to leave

This time its gonna be a permanent hurtA permanent hurt, yeah a permanent hurt

The pain and the memories do the dirty work

Promises broken hearts on red alert

The surface will heal

But its feelin' like a permanent hurtWhat were you thinkin' when you fell in love?

What were you thinkin' in that little black skirt?

Bet you a rainbow you weren't thinkin' of

Scuffin' your heels up on a permanent hurtA permanent hurt, yeah a permanent hurt

The pain and the memories do the dirty work

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The surface will heal

But its feelin' like a permanent hurt

OhhIt's all temporary like the big book tells

Ashes to ashes, baby dirt to dirt

Somethin' gets scary, someone runs like hell

Somebody winds up with the permanent hurt permanent hurt, yeah a permanent hurt

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