Film Noir (studio version)

The Gaslight Anthem

I'm all washed out by the side of the road

Broken bones Matilda left a note and a rose

Sayin', "Baby honey child, I've loved you so long

But you deserve much better than me."So I'm just burnin' all around all the miles in the road

And I'm never goin' back and I'm never goin' home

I've been gone too long, I've been less right than wrong

I lost so much blood in the fallin' outAnd I lit a fire that wouldn't go out

Until it consumed the walls and roof of this house

Until all I remember was burnin' away

And all I remember, you burned it awaySee, for ten long years I've been hustlin' around

Tryin' to wash the sins and the sweat from my brow

Just tryin' to find a better life for me and my own

Just some rest for these tired workin' fingersBut nobody never gonna tell you the way

You gotta figure it out boys and suffer the rain

And the fools in the night and the heat of the day

When all you ever really wanted was for someone to understandAnd I lit a fire that wouldn't go out

Until it consumed the walls and roof of this house

Until all I remember was burnin' away

And all I remember, you burned it awayWell, don't you take it so hard and baby, don't you cry

You cross your hard heart and you hope to die

Don't you tell me no more lies, you lied all the time

Don't you tell me no more lies, you lied every nightAnd you're sugar and spice and everything nice

You got Monroe hips, your poisoned lips and knives

And you're sugar and spice and everything nice

You got open wounds in a young boy's prideAnd you're sugar and spice and everything nice

You got Monroe hips, your poisoned lips and knives

Sugar and spice, everything nice

Open wounds in a young boy's prideAnd I lit a fire that wouldn't go out

Until it consumed the walls and roof of this house

Until all I remember was burnin' away

And all that you left me, you burned it awayWell, don't you take it so hard and baby, don't you cry

You cross your hard heart and you hope to die

Don't you tell me no more lies, you lied all the time

Don't you tell me no more lies, you lied every nightTime, time tickin' away

Time, time tickin' away

Time, time tickin' away

Time, time tickin' away

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