

# Birth Ritual

## Soundgarden

Lying like needles on forest earth  
Euphoric rush trees bend to pray for us  
I'm sputtering like cold machines  
Late for the birth ritual, ritual, ritual You can drive my tail to watch the circus  
A birth ritual, a birth of idiots  
Now I woke up blessed and good strives for heartache  
Marked for the death ritual, ritual, ritual As you start the song and face this garden  
I light a cigarette before the execution  
Now you see your crime for every miracle  
Add another drug at every birth ritual I took the drug to make me stay  
And now everything dies in shyness  
The snake retreats admits defeat  
And waits for the birth ritual, ritual, ritual As you start the song and face this garden  
I light a cigarette before the execution  
Now you see your crime for every miracle  
Add another drug at every birth ritual Shining light child's highs  
Mark his sides bright until the newness wears off As you start the song and face this garden  
I light a cigarette before the execution  
Now you see your crime for every miracle  
Add another drug at every birth ritual

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