

# Oh My God

## Jars of Clay

Oh, my God, look around this place  
Your fingers reach around the bone  
You set the break and set the tone  
Flights of grace and future falls  
In present pain, all fools say, "Oh, my God" Oh, my God, why are we so afraid?  
We make it worse when we don't bleed  
There is no cure for our disease  
Turn a phrase and rise again  
Or fake your death and only tell  
Your closest friends, oh, my God Oh, my God, can I complain?  
You take away my firm belief  
And graft my soul upon your grief  
Weddings, boats and alibis  
All drift away and a mother cries Liars and fools, sons and failures  
Thieves will always say  
Lost and found, ailing wanderers  
Healers always say Whores and angels, men with problems  
Leavers always say  
Broken hearted, separated  
Orphans always say War creators, racial haters  
Preachers always say  
Distant fathers, fallen warriors  
Givers always say Pilgrim saints, lonely widows  
Users always say  
Fearful mothers, watchful doubters  
Saviors always say Sometimes I can not forgive  
These days mercy cuts so deep  
If the world was how it should be  
Maybe I could get some sleep While I lay, I'd dream we're better  
Scales were gone and faces lighter  
When we wake, we hate our brother  
We still move to hurt each other Sometimes I can close my eyes  
And all the fear that keeps me silent  
Falls below my heavy breathing  
What makes me so badly bent? We all have a chance to murder  
We all have the need for wonder  
We still want to be reminded  
That the pain is worth the plunder Sometimes when I lose my grip  
I wonder what to make of Heaven

All the times I thought to reach up  
All the times I had to give up Babies underneath their beds  
Hospitals that cannot treat them  
All the wounds that money causes  
All the comforts of cathedrals All the cries of thirsty children  
This is our inheritance  
All the rage of watching mothers  
This is our greatest offense Oh, my God  
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