Gretna Greene

Fight

A purple bruise
A fractured limbAll covered up with liesA swollen face
A bloody tongue
This violence deniedEmpty now and meaningless
Ridiculed in shame
Until death do us apart
Who should take the blame?To live a lie
Forgive or dieA stricken look
A lowered head
Reflections, turning backA trembling hand
A quickened step
The dreaded, next attackTurning from the holy ghost
Light and spirit fade
Waiting for deliverance
Every thing betrayedA vacant stare
A beat up faith
The book of truth reviledA prayer to God
A plea for help
Held ransom with the childWide awake and holding tears
Fear that never sleeps
Curled up in the bed at night
The virgin gently weepsTo live a lie
Forgive or die
To live a lie
Forgive or die

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