Purple Heart

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My purple heart, all red and blue
Still lingers on the thought of you
Thou it's just a little stain
I was hoping it would fade by now
Thou it's over done and said

It's heavier than lead somehowIt lights a spark, leaves a residue

It burns in me, all the embers of you

It's a darkest lullaby, tucks me in but still I lie awake

'Cuz that morning sun will rise

And I hope I'm not the same as yesterdayYou would think that I'm okay from the outside looking in Yes I'm hard on myself but that's just the way I am

So I put it in a box and I keep it locked away

For as long as I can

I picture you alone and you're picking up the pieces

I know I let you down

But I swear I had my reasons to let you goBut I'm just stuck with this purple heart, all red and blue Still lingers on the thought of you

I know you can't forgive but I don't want to regret The life I would have lived if I didn't say the things I said

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