

# Killer's Lullaby

## Faithless

I'm sittin' at a coffee table, unable to see straight  
Watchin' parallel lines unwind and undulate  
Behind the rain streaked windowpane, the scene's bleak  
Another train leavin' home, conceding defeat with a low moan  
Hangin' in a sky, made of stone  
Everybody's leavin' home, I called my man Jerome  
To come meet me in the twilight zone  
Leave your mobile phone at home and come alone  
I bought him coffee and a snack, settled back, started speakin'  
He was tweakin' with the peak of his cap, while I'm seekin' to discover  
What it takes to stay sober, not cover my mistakes  
Try to maybe make sense of the evidence  
It's over, she's gone for good  
Why should I lie? Singin' a killer's lullaby  
Identified by the dying ring of her goodbye  
The last thing you hear before your life disappear  
Now it just gets worse, like my stomach could burst  
Feel like I've been cursed  
With seven centuries of bitter memories  
And inadequacies, previous he's and she's  
I'm movin' 'round this old house for the last time  
Scene of my past crimes, been here for lifetimes  
Hearin' the chimes of the old clock that used to mock  
You got eternity for takin' stock, this place is like a padlock  
You look shocked  
Trust me, nothin' ever moves but the dust  
There's just us and I'm here to torment and tease  
And that's how it was for centuries  
Me and my memories, till you brought the keys  
Took a couple of Saturdays I moved in runnin' from tragedies and boozin'  
Seven hundred years since I came here, you appear, same hair  
Same quizzical stare, I couldn't get near  
And the sheer frustration was more than I could bear  
I was really cursed, thought I'd been through the worst part  
That was just the first part, just the start  
Every night I'd be sitting with dread, breaking my heart  
In case the man she'd been chasin' gets to first base  
And I just can't escape, I'm in bad shape  
You making love to someone else is more than I can take  
And so I make all the movement I can to no avail  
Scream and yell, sinkin' deeper into my personal hell  
I'm gettin' heated, I'm sorry, have another coffee  
I needed to release my sparrow chest from just a piece of this pressure  
Unless an escape route is found  
I'm goin' down, underground into lifetimes of pain, it's absurd  
The heaviest chain is contained in the sound of  
one word  
So I'm referred back to hell, huh  
Just as well, I hate needles an' get twinges at the thought  
Of syringes  
J, I'm goin' insane with shame

I dream and watch her makin' love over and over again  
With what I call a farmer's swain  
Unintelligent, pea-brained retard who's dick is always hard Oh God, of course I'm jealous, fellows  
Oversexed flexing his pec's  
Jesus, what's he gonna make her do next?  
I'm mad vex, the way she gently scratches his chest You used to do that to me back in 1253  
Pity me, while you lie with your lover  
I stare and suffer in despair while you ruffle his hair  
Unaware of who else is there I move quick, I wanna try my trick one last time  
You know it's possible to vaguely define my outline  
When dust moves in the sunshine  
So I'm tryin' to change, vibrate myself to near human pitch Which reminds me how I used to come unstitched  
And switch 'round the house in a blind rage  
It took years and an ocean of tears to find the key to this cage  
And write another stage into a new age, it's difficult to gauge But I know that I'll see you again  
On that you may depend  
I just don't know how or when  
Sleep on, my lost love on gone Jerome took me home under steel skies  
Knowin' I'm prone to dramatize but unknown for tellin' lies  
And what I verbalize he can see behind my eyes  
The why oh why's that identify killer lullabies and he surmised No surprise couldn't hear that  
Closed my eyes as he steered  
That old black BM home again  
Not knowing how and not knowing when

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