

# Oil & Lavender

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And being outside your wisdom  
And stretching the truth  
I was the oil and lavender  
But never for you  
You had to toil and sit in  
The sun browned your skin  
It burned all the alabaster  
Till the ask choked the wind  
They say it's the longest light  
To ever have shown  
They say it's the longest lie  
And that nobody knows  
They say it's the longest lie  
And I still taste the smoke  
Now only ungrateful remember (?)  
To sleep in the stone  
With all of your grace and thunder  
The roll and the boom  
I was the cloak and dagger  
That snuck into you  
And we have but one (left? /life?) finger  
That's pointing at us  
And that would be the longest night  
That chilled \_\_\_\_ to bone  
That would be the longest night  
To sleep here alone  
That would be the longest night  
I think you'd be warmer closer to me

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