

# Dead Man's Lantern

## After Three Seconds

The winds that hide the sighs of lovers written words deny  
Whisper with spectral voices  
The roots that felt the weight of soles and souls now drowned in fate  
Young dreams and mortal choices  
The clouds that drape the trees in fog that falls thick at my knees  
Descend on autumn slowly  
The mountain that we made from shattered hearts lain here displayed  
Rises to block the sunlight Wind, pray, delay your judgment one more day  
Things we search and find, lives we've left behind, ohFree  
One dream to be alive The wind will sweep away the scattered lights of another day  
The cool dusk now takes a dark turn  
The inky night will flow through open mouths  
The world we know hangs like a dead man's lantern  
The dim flickering light shows ghosts that dream, that beg for flight  
Caged in by withered branches  
A dark canopy weighs on darkened dreams and empty days  
Dead cries for second chances Fade away if you can't stand to take it one more day  
Flee your darkened soul, heart's an empty hole, ohFree  
One dream to be alive  
And feel all I conceal  
Revive When the world won't give way to your high-hearted dreams  
Push it back 'till it breaks at the seams Bleeding through like a rainstorm that cleanses the skies  
Now let loose all your burdens and fly

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