The Raven

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And in the dawning of the day in late September

There came a weeping from outside my chamber door

Weary from fever I rose up, looked out, beheld her

A Raven with a broken wing yet nothing moreI turn my head the once and bird become a damsel

With lips of cherry, ivory skin and lustrous hair

Open the doorway wide and smiled for her to enter

None in my lifetime ever seen a beast so rareSweet thighs of ruin how I loved her, and I loved her

She muttered low and helped me to her infant breasts

Deliverance was long and strong as God's my witness

Babylon burning sorrow known with each caress

You came and let the night in

You came for you were broken

To hold, to heal, to touch

You needed me too muchAnd with the meadowlark when all had done their duty

The morning glory vine awoke with dew below

I breathed my last the day the warning bell was knelling

She smoothed her feathers down, flew back out my windowYou came and let the night in

You came but you were broken

To hold, to heal, to touch

You needed me too much You came and let the night in

You came for you were broken

To hold, to heal, to touch

You needed me too much

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To hold, to heal, to touch

You needed me too much

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