The Empress

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Didn't I try
To love her?
Didn't I paint
Pictures of her?
Didn't I try
To change?
I shouldn't have bothered.Didn't I buy
The ocean for her?
Didn't I wear
The colour (?)
Didn't I feel
The wind?
Didn't I plead?She is strange
And sorrow.
She is
Like cherry blossom.
She is
The Empress.Didn't I kneel
Before her?
Didn't I follow
Her orders?
Didn't I clean
Her shit?
Didn't I fall?Didn't I climb
The ladder?
Didn't I smile
For the cameras?
Didn't I feel
The wind?
Didn't I plead? (? bleed)She is strange
And sorrow.
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She is
The Empress.She is strange
And sorrow.
With lips
Like cherry blossom.
She is

The Empress.

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