

# I Was Born

## The Magnetic Fields

I was born, I hate this part  
Being someone new  
Being torn  
Seeing someone who died, as you grew  
Growing older is killing a child  
Who laughed and smiled at anything  
Growing colder and less and less wild  
And learning to say  
I was young, then not so young  
Scary either way  
One more rung  
Down that black ladder every day  
One more floor down the elevator  
To oblivion, what fun  
But the singularly awful one  
Is being born

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