

# Absolution

## Courtney Pine

case is closed, you're back into focus  
the jury's out, you're closing in  
this battle of mind over matters spent  
this scar, this scar is not permanent  
choices or chances, or what sinks in water  
your secret's out, what you held within  
you've found your plague, your cancer, stop  
i bet you've got something clever  
this house is caving in  
your last words, caught trembling  
decisions, make decisions for your fate  
your choice is the chance that you have to take  
burn, stop, your time is up  
you've found all of the answers  
so take a breath and end this chapter  
i'll bring the fire if you bring the water  
face to the grave, will the killer be saved  
saved by the same hands, the same hands that frame life  
hero be safe from the killer you made  
saved by the same hands, the same hands that frame life  
case is closed, you're back into focus  
the jury's out, you're closing in  
this battle of mind over matters spent  
this scar, this scar, rising the judge screams  
"the courtroom is in order, you bring the victim, and we choose the martyr!"  
taking time to make it up, i can't hear you scream

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from this point on hear no evil, speak no tongues  
and the rhythms of past lovers come together or not at all  
from this point on hear no evil, speak no tongues  
and the riddles don't buy onto one  
burn quick, sink slow, your heart grows colder than regret  
your burden stone  
your heart grows colder, stillbeat, weak, and frozen  
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