

# Razor Dance

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After the death of a thousand kisses  
Comes the catacomb of tongues  
Who can spit the meanest venom  
From the poison of their lungs  
Cruellest dance is the razor dance  
Circle in and circle around  
He said, she said, she said, he said  
Thrill to put the other one down  
The razor dance, the razor dance  
This time, gone too far  
This time, can't heal the scar  
I want to break out of this spin  
The gravity's pulling me in  
The razor dance, the razor dance  
What flies straighter than an arrow?  
What cuts deeper than a lance?  
Your wit may shine on the withering line  
Cruellest dance is the razor dance  
The razor dance, the razor dance  
Blood boils, tears burn  
Some people never learn  
If time could crawl back in its shell  
And mischievous tongues could untell  
But that's not the meaning of hell  
Take your partners for the razor dance  
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Take your partners for the razor dance, the razor dance  
The razor dance, the razor dance

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