Saltwater Fountain

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Strung up, tuned to the key of anxiety
He watches intently

Stayed up, ruined another day of sleep

He drifts off immediately And he's dreaming, waiting for his heart

To leave this throat back to his chest

Sleeve's wet with water from his brow

Up to the surfaceTalked up, beat to the point of nothing

He washes discretely

Dressed up, covered from head to toe

Stripped down naked sleeping off the shameDreaming, waiting for his heart

To leave this throat back to his chest

Eyes wet his yawns

From a lack of air in headHow could I breathe with this elephant on my chest?

Just enough to live wide eyed alive

How could I think with my heart beating out of my chest?

I'm completely wide eyed aliveThought process, come back to me

I'm practiced but out of my league

I'll dress this mannequin to mirror image

Then quench my thirst on this saltwater fountainNow, how could I breathe?

Wide eyed alive, wide eyed alive

Now, how could I think?

Wide eyed alive, wide eyed aliveNow, how could I breathe?

Wide eyed alive, wide eyed alive

Now, how could I think?

Wide eyed alive, wide eyed aliveNow, how could I breathe?

Wide eyed alive, wide eyed alive

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