

# Sky High

## Judith Owen

Shattered at dawn  
So far for so long  
Feeling newly baptized thinking  
I don't want this thing to end and  
    All the blue sky  
Where our stony paths meet  
    Coffee color sheets  
    Looking down at pale knees  
With a cigarette and the morning beat  
    Under the blue sky  
    Last night at the bar  
I was wrong, I was only hurting  
    And you were acting too polite  
    And we held on to the pain  
Through the storms and the rain

Like a crumpled, empty, discarded  
    Newports box  
    Ahh, under the blue sky  
    Ahh, sky high  
    Ahh  
    Pawn shop billboard  
    "We Buy Gold"  
Old dreams just fade and twist  
It's a heartache that never ended  
    The brightness of air  
Out walking somewhere and when they ask you  
Just tell them that you knew me back when  
    Under the blue sky  
    Ahh, sky high  
    Ahh, put on the blue sky  
    Ahh, sky high

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