Ashes of Eternity

Blind Guardian

The Hare once betrayed me

And so did the Fox and the Crow

Just once defied me

There's me and there's Space

Where are they?

Maybe dead

No one knows

You can't defy meRide all along

With me

There's no tomorrow

Now let me through

And wait for my commandDon't try to be cruel

Oh, my beautiful child

But how can you try to redeem the past?

It's not real as it seems

Now ride on your wave

And get back to that place

Scratch deeper and deeper

And soon I will be on my ownThe gods will ignore your end

They'll defend the elder

The lords won't salute you

The saints they won't save you

They'll defend their guardian

The savior won't heal your soulCaesarNo man's world

It's the Ides of March

Then from the ashes of eternity

A new spirit will rise

A new order shall take overNow

Raise the flag

The war seems over

And bow your head

At dawn they shall be murderedWoes, I will not complain

The further you get

The closer's the end, dearBut now

I will try

Come and see

That things are not what they may seemIt's all written down

The savior lies bleeding

But he won't surrender

The scriptures don't lie

He'll e turned around

No one to blameIt all goes downThe gods will ignore your end

They'll defend the elder

The lords won't salute you

The saints they won't save you

They'll defend their guardian

The savior won't heal your soulNow go and get

Your holy grail

And don't forget

Just once you'll cross the borderNow let the saints

The saints come marching in

Whatever you'll do

Do it fast

My sweet son of decay

Now let the saints

The saints come marching in

Transform

You may pass

Rearrange it

Now change to betrayI won't lie

While bright eyes are turning pale

Your sands run lowYour light shines

My last try

It'll soon be overNo sign shall be given for ages and more

You may enter first

But from now you will be on your ownThe gods will ignore your end

They'll defend the elder

The lords won't salute you

The saints they won't save you

They'll defend their guardian

The savior won't heal your soulYou're getting your grail

But there's no place to go

Longing for a new shore

Eastern winds they blow cold

The saints you will bring them down

The savior won't take the crown

Let my spirit fly

Let it fly

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