

# How I Know You

## Aida

I grew up in your hometown, at least began to grow  
I hadn't got to my first shave before the body blow  
Egyptians in the courtyard, my family in chains  
You witnessed our abduction which possibly explains  
How I know you  
Before that fateful morning my family enjoyed  
A privileged existence for my father was employed  
As advisor to the king no less which surely rings a bell  
For as you are his daughter, you probably can tell  
How I know you  
Yes I know you  
You know too much and what you say  
Is better left unknown  
And now I'm just a slave like you  
Our lives are not our own  
I never have abandoned  
And nor I think could you  
That spark of hope for freedom  
No terror can subdue  
My only hope is silence  
You've never seen my face  
No you remain a princess  
In any time or place  
You don't know me  
Yes, I know you  
You don't know me  
How I know you  
How I know you

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