Into the Lake of Ghosts

My Dying Bride

Enter the ghost lake

The waters whisper

Of something brooding

No way out of hereSlow smoldering

Slow smoldering heat

Lapping at your skin

Pulling you down againI wish that I could

Fan back to life

The dying embers

Of my long lost passionDescending deeper

With black as my light

With twist and turn

All me will be tried in lifeWe look for light to call

The call to save us all

Lest we fall to our knees

The death, we kiss his feetOh, sacred mother, come

For our fate is done

In blindness do we run

Always backwardsThe care of many

Was lost in my hands

The sickness came in

Floods of torment and woeMy withered body

Aching and bone tired

My Christ, who art Lord

Hold me down againKnee bent and head held low

Eyes closed against my foe

In prayer I sing on low

Answers to my last callOh, sacred father, come

For it is you who's done

In blindness do we run

And be sure not to fallOh, Christ, what have I done?

Ill fortune now will come

Fire raining from the sun

All virtue swept awayIn floods of blackest death

The ghost will take my breath

My sins, I will forget

I am nothing againExit the ghost lake

The waters silent

What now has risen?

No man stands aloneThe world is changing 'Tis misery who Leads our way now Holding man down againKnee bent and head held low Eyes closed against my foe In prayer I sing on low Answers to my last callOh, sacred father, come For it is, you who's done In blindness do we run And be sure not to fallOh, Christ, what have I done? Ill fortune now will come Fire raining from the sun All virtue swept awayIn floods of blackest death The ghost will take my breath My sins, I will forget I am nothing again, again

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