

# Bells

## Perfect Pussy

I am sad and grateful  
I am lonely and rejoicing  
I ring the bells alone, I ring the bells for you  
Forgive me the impermanence of my joy  
And the permanence of my joy  
I am present in my truth  
Though you were right, I lost myself  
I abide in my discomfort  
And in everything you gave me  
I can try to hide from suffering  
But I know that won't save me  
I must count it all as joy  
I must let love be love in me  
I can be strong, I can be kind  
I can be good to myself and anyone who lets me  
Now I am simple, I am alone  
Like a pale flower floating on the surface  
Of the wide sea the world drives between all of our hearts  
The one you must navigate in order to love  
In trying to swim there but refusing to let go  
We weighed each other down and eventually we drowned  
We can speak the words of women and angels  
But without real love, it's just sad noise  
I can open my heart and let everything out  
But that won't save me - I'll just be empty  
I am raw and awed and frightened  
In the presence of my truth  
I am sitting with my fear  
I am reverent in its light  
I am starting where I am  
I move forward on my own  
And I ring the bells alone  
But with only you in mind

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