Hell Broke Luce

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I had a good home but I left
I had a good home but I left
right - left

that big fuckin' bomb made me deaf, deaf
A Humvee mechanic put his Kevlar on wrong
I guarantee you meet him with a suicide bomb
and hell broke luce

hell broke luceBig fuckin' ditches in the middle of the road you'd pay a hundred dollars just for filling in the hole listen to the general every goddamn word how many ways can you polish up a turd

> and left - right left - left - right

hell broke luce, hell broke luce

hell broke luceHow is that the only ones responsible for making this mess Got their sorry asses stapled to a goddamn desk

and hell broke luce, hell broke luce

left - right - leftWhat did you do before the war, I was a chef, I was a chef

What was your name it was Jeff, Jeff

I lost my buddy and I wept, wept

I come down from the meth so I slept, slept

I had a good home but I left, leftPantsed at the wind for a joke

i pranced right in with the dope

glanced at her shins she said nope

left - right - left...have you any any wool

get me another body bag, the body bag's full

my face was scorched, scorched i miss my home i miss my porch, porch

left - right - left

Can I go home in March, march

My stance was a chin full of soap

Had rancid dinner with the Pope

and left - right - left Kelly Persona got his thumbs blown off, Sergio's developing a real bad cough Sergio's developing a real bad cough and hell broke luce, hell broke luce hell broke luceBoom went his head away and boom went Bowery what the hell was it that the president said? give them all a beautiful parade instead and left - right - leftWhile I was over here i never got to vote I left my arm in my coat my mom she died and never wrote We sat by the fire and ate a goat Just before he died he had a toke Now I'm home and I'm blind and I'm broke what is next?

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