

# Carnival

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I quit the carnival and moved next door  
Thought I'd had enough but I wanted more  
    So now I'm sneaking out at night  
    I clean my face and shine my shoes  
And go where I'm not supposed toSee I tamed a lion once I stole his roar  
    Stripped his pride away but he found more  
    So now he's out to take what's his and shove  
    My future in my face and scare me back in my place  
So soon so soon you've got it beat 'til it eats youSee I left my flaming sword beside your bed  
    I woke to find it pressed against my neck  
    You wept suggestion never works  
    So now I'm trying something else  
    I shut my eyes hold on.. oh well  
    And I felt a feather fall a tree trunk split  
    Inside my lying mouth played violin  
    He said you should give up your voice  
Before we both end up destroyedI quit alrigh the purred good boy  
    You'll fall for anything when you're caught  
    You'll believe anyone and  
    I said that's not exactly true  
    Only you, you do what you do

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