

Ashes On the Fire

[Richard Hawley](#)

I wrote you a letter
Late last night
The words on the paper
My true heart's desire Now in this bright morning
Oh, what did I find?
No sign of the letter
Ashes on the fire This morning brought sorrow
This morning brought tears
They bloomed like a flower
From deep-seated fears
My words like an arrow
Aimed so much higher
My bow broke asunder
Ashes on the fire I know that you weary
Of this life we've made
In silence I sit here
And read the flames
Come sit down beside me
You ghosts of the pyre
And nightly remind me
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