## **Adora Vivos**

## **Woods of Ypres**

A moment of silence... but not one moment more

The dead are to be forgotten, we are here to be adoredLook me, in the eyes, don't believe a word they say

For life is good, life is glory, though we live, one life only

Tell me, in real time, don't hesitate to profess

Love me, in the flesh, don't wait 'till death to sing my praiseA moment of silence... but not one moment more

The dead are to be forgotten, we are here to be adored

In the bleak life and modern times, under grey skies and electric light

Mortal men are living gods, more real than any god ever wasAdora vivos - our people are civilized...

Love the living while they're still alive

Adora vivos - our people are civilized...

We shouldn't worship the deadIn the bleak life and modern times,

Under grey skies and electric light

Where the living still walk the earth alone,

More real than any god ever wasIn bleak life, (we are realer than gods!) -

More real than any god ever was

In modern times (we are realer than gods!) -

More real than any God ever was

Under grey skies and electric light, we the living still walk the earth alone

Where mortal men are living gods, more real than any god... ever wasA moment of silence, (for the dead) but not one moment more

They've all gone to be forgotten, we're still here, to be adoredLook me, in the face, and don't believe a word I say

This life is hard, this life is lonely, and we are here, for one night only

See the pain, in my eyes, the defeat, of my age

Feel the urgency of time, and don't wait Ëætill death to sing my praiseA moment of silence (for the dead), but not one moment more

The dead are to be forgotten, we are here to be adored
If you're waiting for tomorrow, save yourself for another day
But if you're living in the moment, don't wait (Ëætill death) to sing my praise

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