## If You Want to Get Free

## **Waterdeep**

In the gas station bathroom by the condom machine
I heard the word of the Lord
He said "Take off your shoes,
this is holy ground too
you know I came for the sick and the bored."
Beneath the selling of beers
And the welling up of tears
Out beyond the beam of the remote control
There's a whispering voice
That the humble ear ears
that says "I am still waiting

for you to ask just to be made whole."And the bush it was burning on the mountain top and though the leaves never blackened, the fire didn't stop

That's the way that it works in this old life of sin

You gotta let the fire burn you just to get clean withinI am so often deterred from my actual intent by distractions in a cellophane wrap

And the cruel voice that taunts me when I open them up to find just one more box full of crap
It's where you're mocked while you abstain and then cursed when you give in
It's all a game that's impossible to beat

But there's a peaceful refrain God'll sing in your brain when you put the nails to your hands and your feetAnd the smell of our sacrifices still fills up my head

There's just a few left at the altar, Lord all the rest of them fled
And we've cried and we've tried
We've sweat and we've bled
But we don't just need atonement
We need to be raised from the dead

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