## The Art of Suicide

## **Emilie Autumn**

The art of suicide, nightgowns and hair

Curls flying every which-way

The fate too pure to hide, ridges of size

Meant to conceal lover's liesUnder the arches of moonlight and sky

Suddenly easy to contemplate whyWhy, why live a life

That's painted with pity and sadness and strife?

Why dream a dream

That's tainted with trouble and less than it seems? Why bother bothering

Just for a poem or another sad song to sing?

Why live a lie? Why live a lie? The art of suicide, gritty and clean

Conveys a theatrical scene

Alas, I've gone she cried, veins displayed Melodramatically laidUnder the arches of moonlight and sky Suddenly easy to contemplate whyWhy, why live a life That's painted with pity and sadness and strife?

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Just for a poem or another sad song to sing?
Why live a lie? Why live a life
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Why live a lie? Why live a lie?

Why live a lie? Why live a lie? Life is not like a gloomy Sunday With a second ending where the people are disturbed

Well, they should be disturbed

Because there's a story that ought to be heardLife is not like a gloomy Sunday

With a second ending where the people are disturbed

Well, they should be disturbed

Because there's a lesson that really ought to be learnedThe world is full of poets, we don't need any more

The world is full of singers, we don't need any more

The world is full of lovers, we don't need any more

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