

# Slow Burn

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It begins with a dark, glowing ember  
Something black, burning its way out of me  
Searing the flesh, pain is the only thing I feel  
Scars all I see Oh no, the fire's burning my insides again  
What can I do to silence my desire tonight?  
Face consumer reason leaving all the ashes there  
You won't catch me for granting my decision I can't keep telling myself  
What I wanna hear  
I can't just close my eyes I know that it's killing me  
And it's poisoning the best of me  
But I say I don't want to believe  
So let me tell you, boy, tell you, boy  
About the lies I lead That is how it kills, I got some flames and gasoline  
Broken teeth replace the blackout memories in my head  
Wreckage from the blast, it often shakes me to the floor  
I know it's over but I can't go home tonight And after this I feel as empty as the night before  
Feel the pain and yet I'm still begging for more  
Masochistic, nihilistic, gorging, wrecked up thoughts  
My life's a mess and I can't find a way to fix it I can't keep telling myself  
What I wanna hear  
I can't just close my eyes I know that it's killing me  
And it's poisoning the best of me  
But I say I don't want to believe  
So let me tell you, boy, tell you, boy  
About the lies I lead Calling, calling out  
The darkest reaches of my soul  
I'm riddled with self-doubt Crawling, crawling out  
My will to fight will more than suffice  
While others will lay down  
It's only as dark as you make it I know that it's killing me  
And it's poisoning the best of me  
But I say, I don't want to believe  
So let me tell you, boy, tell you, boy  
About the lies I lead

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