

# Caved In

## Atmosphere

[Beyond]

The door opened, in walked my brother  
Terrified, teary-eyed, I'm wide open  
Only to hear our father died  
It's not true, I'm hopin'  
I need some air, I'm chokin  
Get me off this ride, where's life goin?  
Feelin' I'm lost, I'm frozen  
Suspended in mid-traumatized state  
Why I'm chosen for this fate? I don't know  
Head shakes back and forth emotional  
Unsociable, not speakin'  
Remainin silent, cause I'm weakened  
Deep inside I'm freakin'  
Want my father back, I need him  
Why's God cheatin?  
Takin' half the two that gave me life  
My mind replaces thought, now no longer can I sleep at night  
Not feelin' right, insecure, now what's my future lookin' like?  
Ain't dealt with death before, age 11 and can't take no more  
My hands on the floor cause my stomachs feelin' sick and I was mad at the Lord  
Because he took him all too quick that day  
On his way to pick me up, he never made it  
Blamed it all on myself, therefore I dwelled in self-hatred  
On a path called destruct, many thought I wouldn't make it  
I hate it, the way I feel, but I just can't seem to shake it  
Somebody take it away, this mad situation  
My world is breakin' and I feel I'm 'bout to cave in[Chorus x2]  
I tried to take it all in  
After it all settled I couldn't begin  
Accepting you were gone, but understood[Beyond]  
Hey dad, I miss you, for everyday gone  
And for the rest of my life, try to remain strong  
Until we reunite, live on, your memory  
From the seeds you planted gently  
Thanks for being there for me  
And all the time you spent with me  
Love sent for me(?), if I could only have that day back  
To sit down and rap, shoot the breeze and have a chat

But the fact still remains, still later, on the day I have to meet our maker

I write my feelings on the paper, for now

Along the golf course where you once played

I see you as I drive by, I feel you like your presence is there

I stop and I stare, I see the pictures of days we shared

Well aware that you cared, makin sure I was prepared for life

The hardships, the struggles, the garbage, and the troubles

That come with it, always kept my head lifted

I grip it close to my heart, everthing you taught me

My dad, my hero, you have my love for all eternity[Chorus x4]

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