## **Emerencia**

## **King Diamond**

The shadows are thick and old
I'm searching the dark for my love
Behind the theater of puppet shows
I find the stairs to the cellar belowHiding where the shadows rule

A door opens below

The moon is high above

300 pounds of flesh, that woman I knowOh, it's the puppet master's wife She pulls a cart behind her

Oh Emerencia, where are you going with that knife? Time to kill, it's time for her nightly thrill Oh Emerencia, where are you going with that knife? Deep in the night through the narrowest streets

I follow her every step

She is searching for innocent victimsOh Emerencia, in an alley a homeless is sleeping Approaching without a sound, and then, oh noHow strange it is, to see, a life that slips away How strange it is, in darkness blood is black not redThe knife is still deep in his chest

Gotta keep the blood in its nest

She wraps him in the sack she brought

She better leave before she gets caughtThrough the streets dark and old

Through the streets, no one must know

Only the moon and IAnd none of us will ever tell

She pulls the body off the cart

Back at the theater, down into the dark

Oh Emerencia, I wonder why you left the door ajarDeep in the night through the narrowest hallways

I follow her every step

There's a light from a doorway ahead of us Where did she go, where did she go? No What I see is a horror show, then the blow

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