## **Beneath the Mire**

## **Opeth**

Haunted nights for halcyon days Can't sleep to the scraping of his voice Nature's way struck grief in me And I became a ghost in sicknessWillingly guided into heresy Beneath the surface, stark emptiness And you'd pity my conviction Whereas I thought of myself as a leaderYou'd cling to your pleasant hope It is twisted fascination While I'd ruin the obstacles into despair And I'm praising deathLost love of the heart In a holocaust scene memoryDecrepit body wearing transparent skin Inside the smoke of failureWept for solace and submit to faith In his shadow I'm choking, yet flourishingMaster, a delusion made me stronger Yet I'm draped in pale withering flesh I sacrificed more than I had And left my woes beneath the mire

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