

# Tears of the Dragon

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For too long now  
There were secrets in my mind  
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There were things I should have said  
In the darkness  
I was stumbling for the door  
To find a reason  
To find the time, the place, the hour  
Waiting for the winter sun  
And the cold light of day  
The misty ghosts of childhood fears  
The pressure is building and I can't stay away  
I throw myself into the sea  
Release the wave let it wash over me  
To face the fear I once believed  
The tears of the dragon for you and for me  
Where I was  
I had wings that couldn't fly  
Where I was  
I had tears I couldn't cry  
My emotions frozen in an icy lake  
I couldn't feel them until the ice began to break  
I have no power over this  
You know I'm afraid  
The walls I built are crumbling  
The water is moving  
I'm slipping away  
I throw myself into the sea  
Release the wave let it wash over me  
To face the fear I once believed  
The tears of the dragon for you and for me  
Slowly I awake  
Slowly I rise  
The walls I built are crumbling  
The water is moving  
I'm slipping away  
I throw  
(I throw)  
Myself  
(Myself)  
Into the sea  
Release the wave let it wash over me  
To face  
(To face)  
The fear

(The fear)  
I once believed  
The tears of the dragon for you and for me I throw  
(I throw)  
Myself  
(Myself)  
Into the sea  
Release the wave let it wash over me  
To face  
(To face)  
The fear  
(The fear)  
I once believed  
The tears of the dragon for you and for me

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