

Down with the Sun

Insomnium

O darkness, if in thy arms I could rest
For a while and with these earthly eyes
See thy dim smileMaid of twilight, lass of duskfall
 Hang the moon on the sky's arch
 Soothe the weight of a darkling day
Croon me into the slumber"Rock here in the birch's lap
 Swing in the manor of wind
 Lay down your weary head
Let the blue stars darken"O silence, if in thy cradle I could sway
 Like a child, heart the amending song,
The sighing of the shadesMaid of twilight, lass of duskfall
 Serve thy goblet to me
 Let me drink to the last drop
The sweet opiate of the dreams:Ours is the silence,
 The echo old ageless night
 A gleam in the blackest of streams,
One fleeing momentFor vain is all the toil and trouble,
 Vain is all the heartbreak
 In the end I'll find my solace
In an earthen cradleSo good night.

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