

# Darkness Descends

## X-Raided

You're holding bits of Styrofoam  
With your face painted on to your friends  
You listen to them whine and moan  
About everything you can't understand  
Can I just say I don't fear the light?  
But darkness descends once more into my life  
And suddenly we're all alone in silence  
So I take a step away  
I look up to the falling snow  
As it makes its home upon my face  
Well, I wouldn't want to ruin  
Something I couldn't save  
The gap will keep us safe, the gap will keep us safe  
Step away, get me when I'm down  
And suddenly I'm five I've years old  
And I'm just so cold I want to cry  
I haul up on my gentlemen  
Who have always been there in hard times  
They're just not like that man of mine  
Who visit me from time to time  
My love, I treasure you  
I hear that summer's coming back  
So I stretch out my back and travel a long  
The winter though it darkens me  
It is pure and clean and all I want  
I'll apologize to the ones I love  
For leaving them when the sun comes up  
Too bright for me, darkness descends  
Oh well, I'm not well again  
And once more darkness it descends  
The ground is falling under me  
And I can't find the means to leave  
Convinced that I am going mad  
Oh, I bury my head into his hands  
So sure that I'm losing faith  
Oh, I clear a space in his father's land  
You deal with God far too young  
Before you know it your life has run away

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