

# Nefertiti

## Mads Vinding

Nefertiti claimed she needed no one at all  
Majestic in her empire like so many I've seen rise and fall  
Suitors by the dozen, even one who'd give her everything  
Assuming the queen even needs a king  
And what's so wrong with freedom? Is there a cost too high?  
But the slogans turn to mist in Nefertiti's eyes  
And the heart of the lioness lay down gentle like a lamb  
Her Majesty runs like a girl, no composure or command  
And I know I should be glad for her but I can't forget her fire  
It just makes me lonely, one more Goddess to retire  
Now I have been brought down by less  
That felled my mighty lioness  
But what I see which makes me sad  
Is when the loneliness gets bad  
She has to run, she cannot take  
That fragile fundamental ache  
And the heart of the lioness lay down gentle like a lamb  
Her Majesty runs like a girl, no composure or command  
And I know I should be glad for her but I can't forget her fire  
It just makes me lonely, one more Goddess to retire  
Amazed she puts me in my place  
A royal tear rolls down her face  
But what for me may hurt worst of all  
Is one less soldier on the wall  
That much lonelier for me  
As I salute my fallen queen  
When the heart of the lioness, lay down gentle like a lamb  
Her Majesty runs like a girl, no composure or command  
And I know I should be glad for her but I can't forget her fire  
It just makes me lonely, one more Goddess to retire  
No one should be glad for her for I can't forget her fire  
It just makes me lonely, one more Goddess to retire  
Nefertiti claimed she needed no one

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