

# The Queen of Swans

## Mercury Rev

Love comes thirsty, lands to drink  
Love, flies up and away from me Love comes thirsty, bathes its wing  
Sometimes years go by, it seems She flings her shadow down upon the bed  
Only those with wings know what's in my head  
Maps of sunlight on the carpet rest  
Only those with keys know what's in my chest Bright red threads of desire, dancing through her eyes Everybody  
knows her as, the Queen of Swans Whispers over water, over land they're sown  
Everything about her isn't really so  
Whispers underground, pere lachaise they grow  
Every inch of sunshine burning out the old ghosts  
Sisters turn to mothers, into daughters they fold  
Farewell flights, out the graves they roll  
Human colored kites through the clouds they flow  
Bigger than their bodies what a way to go Love comes thirsty, lands to drink  
Sometimes years go by, it seems

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