

BACKWOODLER

A grand piano sits on a dark, reflective surface. From the piano, a glowing, fiery musical staff rises vertically, spiraling upwards into a dark blue sky filled with white, billowing clouds. The staff is composed of many thin, glowing lines that create a sense of motion and energy. The overall scene is dramatic and ethereal, suggesting a connection between the earthly instrument and the heavenly realm.

MESSAGE TO HEAVEN

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IN LOVING MEMORY OF MARION

ALWAYS REMEMBERED

1969 - 2025

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01 FLAMES OF MEMORY

ASHES WHISPER THROUGH THE AIR TONIGHT
A GHOST OF WARMTH
A FLEETING LIGHT
EVERY SPARK WE MADE
NOW FADES TO GRAY

DID YOU FEEL IT BURN
DID YOU HEAR IT SIGH
THE CRACKLING HEART OF A LAST GOODBYE

FLAMES OF MEMORY
THEY DANCE
THEY ACHE
LIGHTING SHADOWS ONLY PAIN CAN MAKE
THEY FLICKER
THEY FALTER
BUT NEVER DIE
IN THE ASHES
I SEE YOU AND I

A PHOTOGRAPH CURLED AT THE EDGE
WORDS WE CARVED ON A WOODEN LEDGE
TIME WON'T ERASE THE SCARS IT SEARED

CINDERS GLOW WHERE THE FIRE ONCE ROARED
SMOKE CURLS UP BUT CAN'T RESTORE
EVERY EMBER'S A TEAR I CAN'T IGNORE

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THEY DANCE
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LIGHTING SHADOWS ONLY PAIN CAN MAKE
THEY FLICKER
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BUT NEVER DIE
IN THE ASHES
I SEE YOU AND I



02 MESSAGE TO HEAVEN

I WROTE A LETTER TO THE CLOUDS ABOVE
NO STAMP NO ADDRESS JUST HOPE AND LOVE
FOLDED THE PAPER LIKE A BIRD TO FLY
CARRIED MY HEART INTO THE SKY

MESSAGE TO HEAVEN CAN YOU HEAR ME NOW
WHISPERED IN THE WIND SHOW ME HOW
TO FIND THE ANSWERS TO THE THINGS I LOST
MESSAGE TO HEAVEN NO MATTER THE COST

I ASKED THE STARS IF THEY KNEW YOUR NAME
THEIR SILENCE ECHOED BUT I ASKED AGAIN
EVERY TEAR'S A DROP THAT FALLS YOUR WAY
A LITTLE PIECE OF ME EVERY DAY

IF YOU'RE OUT THERE GIVE ME A SIGN
A FLICKER A SHADOW SOMETHING DIVINE

MESSAGE TO HEAVEN CAN YOU HEAR ME NOW
WHISPERED IN THE WIND SHOW ME HOW
TO FIND THE ANSWERS TO THE THINGS I LOST
MESSAGE TO HEAVEN NO MATTER THE COST

MAYBE IT'S FAITH MAYBE IT'S THE RAIN
MAYBE IT'S HEALING DISGUISED AS PAIN
I KEEP SENDING WORDS TO WHERE YOU MIGHT BE
HOPING THEY REACH YOU HOPING YOU'RE FREE



03 GONE LIKE THE TIDE

I HELD THE SUN IN MY HANDS ONCE
IT BURNED SO BRIGHT
NOW I'M LEFT WITH SHADOWS
WHISPERING IN THE NIGHT
EVERY STEP FEELS HOLLOW
LIKE WALKING ON GLASS
MEMORIES CUT DEEPER
THE ECHOES WON'T PASS

GONE LIKE THE TIDE
SWEPT OUT TO SEA
TOOK ALL THE LIGHT
LEFT NONE FOR ME
I CALL YOUR NAME
BUT THE WIND WON'T REPLY
GONE LIKE THE TIDE
UNDER A FADING SKY

YOUR LAUGHTER'S A GHOST THAT LINGERS IN THE AIR
I CHASE IT THROUGH THE SILENCE
BUT IT'S NEVER THERE
THE CLOCK KEEPS TICKING
BUT IT MOCKS MY FIGHT
TIME WON'T HEAL WHEN THE WOUND FEELS RIGHT

IF I COULD BOTTLE PAIN
I'D DRINK IT ALL DOWN
LET IT DROWN MY SORROW
LET IT WEAR THE CROWN
BUT THE EMPTINESS
IT CLINGS
IT STAYS
LIKE A SHADOW TATTOOED ON MY ENDLESS DAYS

GONE LIKE THE TIDE
SWEPT OUT TO SEA
TOOK ALL THE LIGHT
LEFT NONE FOR ME
I CALL YOUR NAME
BUT THE WIND WON'T REPLY
GONE LIKE THE TIDE
UNDER A FADING SKY

GONE LIKE THE TIDE
NO FOOTPRINTS REMAIN
WASHED AWAY QUIETLY
DROWNED IN THE RAIN
I STAND ON THE SHORE
NO ANSWERS
NO GUIDE
JUST ME AND THE SILENCE
AND THE WAVES THAT DIVIDE



04 ECHOES IN THE CROWD

YOUR SHADOW WALKS WHERE I CAN'T GO
EVERY STREETLIGHT SEEMS TO GLOW
YOUR FACE IN THE WINDOW OF A SHOP I DON'T KNOW

YOU'RE EVERYWHERE
I SWEAR
I SWEAR
IN THE AIR
IN THE MIRROR
YOU'RE THERE
NO ESCAPE
YOU'RE THE ECHO I CAN'T OTRUN
YOU'RE EVERYWHERE
YOU'RE EVERYONE

SAW YOU LAUGHING IN THE SUBWAY HAZE
FELT YOUR TOUCH IN THE MORNING RAYS
EVERY CORNER HIDES A MEMORY'S MAZE

I BLINK
YOU'RE GONE
BUT YOU'RE NEVER WRONG

YOU'RE EVERYWHERE
I SWEAR
I SWEAR
IN THE AIR
IN THE MIRROR
YOU'RE THERE
NO ESCAPE
YOU'RE THE ECHO I CAN'T OTRUN
YOU'RE EVERYWHERE
YOU'RE EVERYONE

YOU'RE IN THE SONGS THE STRANGERS HUM
IN THE BEAT OF MY HEART LIKE A WAR DRUM
NO MATTER HOW FAR I TRY TO RUN
YOU'RE THE NIGHT SKY
THE RISING SUN

05 SEARCHING FOR A GHOST

I HEARD A WHISPER IN THE HALL LAST NIGHT
A SHADOW DANCED WHERE THERE WAS NO LIGHT
THE CLOCK STOOD STILL
OR WAS IT JUST MY MIND
SEARCHING
SEARCHING
SEARCHING

I'M SEARCHING FOR A GHOST
A FACE I LOVED THE MOST
IN EVERY QUIET PLACE
I'M CHASING WHAT'S ERASED
I'M SEARCHING FOR A GHOST

THE WIND IT HOWLS
BUT IT SPEAKS YOUR NAME
A MEMORY FLICKERS
IT'S NEVER THE SAME
YOUR TOUCH
IT LINGERS LIKE A PHANTOM FLAME
BURNING
BURNING
BURNING

I SEE YOU IN THE CORNER OF MY EYE
BUT EVERY TIME I TURN
IT'S JUST GOODBYE

I'M SEARCHING FOR A GHOST
A FACE I LOVED THE MOST
IN EVERY QUIET PLACE
I'M CHASING WHAT'S ERASED
I'M SEARCHING FOR A GHOST

IS IT YOU
OR IS IT ME
LOST BETWEEN WHAT'S REAL
WHAT'S FANTASY
THE PAST
IT PULLS LIKE A RESTLESS SEA
DROWNING
DROWNING
DROWNING



06 TALKING TO ANGELS

WHISPERS IN THE VOID SHADOWS FALL IN LINES
ASHES ON THE WIND NO DAWN NO SIGNS
CLIMBING THROUGH THE SILENCE WHERE STARS COLLIDE
WHAT'S LEFT OF A SOUL WHEN THE WINGS HAVE DIED

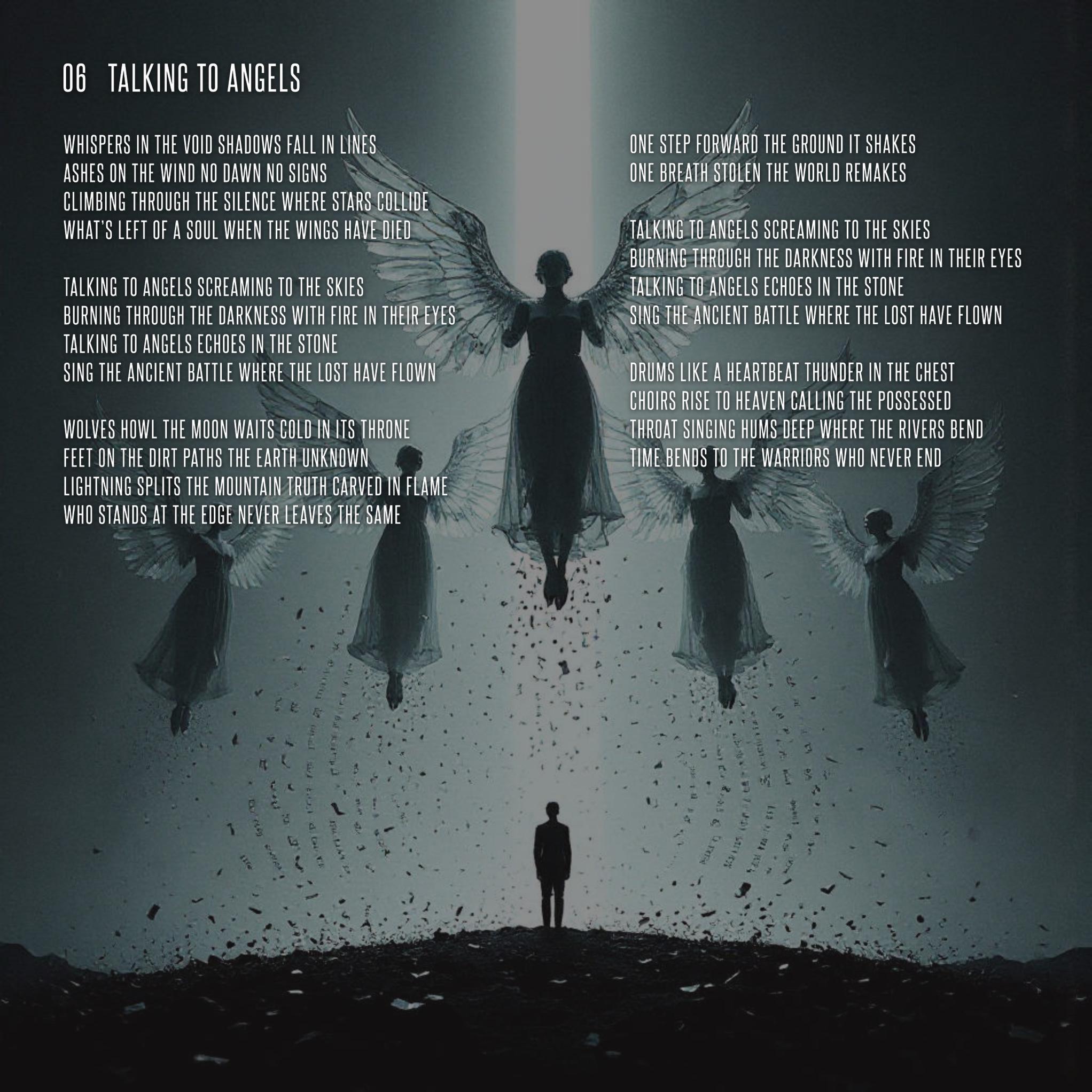
TALKING TO ANGELS SCREAMING TO THE SKIES
BURNING THROUGH THE DARKNESS WITH FIRE IN THEIR EYES
TALKING TO ANGELS ECHOES IN THE STONE
SING THE ANCIENT BATTLE WHERE THE LOST HAVE FLOWN

WOLVES HOWL THE MOON WAITS COLD IN ITS THRONE
FEET ON THE DIRT PATHS THE EARTH UNKNOWN
LIGHTNING SPLITS THE MOUNTAIN TRUTH CARVED IN FLAME
WHO STANDS AT THE EDGE NEVER LEAVES THE SAME

ONE STEP FORWARD THE GROUND IT SHAKES
ONE BREATH STOLEN THE WORLD REMAKES

TALKING TO ANGELS SCREAMING TO THE SKIES
BURNING THROUGH THE DARKNESS WITH FIRE IN THEIR EYES
TALKING TO ANGELS ECHOES IN THE STONE
SING THE ANCIENT BATTLE WHERE THE LOST HAVE FLOWN

DRUMS LIKE A HEARTBEAT THUNDER IN THE CHEST
CHOIRS RISE TO HEAVEN CALLING THE POSSESSED
THROAT SINGING HUMS DEEP WHERE THE RIVERS BEND
TIME BENDS TO THE WARRIORS WHO NEVER END



07 STILL WATCHING OVER ME

YOUR LAUGH STILL ECHOES IN THE EMPTY HALLS
YOUR SHADOW DANCES ON THESE PAPERED WALLS
I SEE YOU IN THE CORNER OF MY EYE
BUT WHEN I TURN
IT'S JUST THE SKY

I WHISPER YOUR NAME INTO THE NIGHT
HOPING FOR A SIGN
A FLICKER OF LIGHT

ARE YOU STILL WATCHING OVER ME
FROM SOMEWHERE I CAN'T SEE
IS YOUR LOVE STILL THE AIR I BREATHE
OR AM I HOLDING ONTO DREAMS
ARE YOU STILL WATCHING OVER ME

THE CLOCK TICKS LOUD IN THIS QUIET SPACE
YOUR SCENT STILL LINGERS LIKE A WARM EMBRACE
I KEEP YOUR SWEATER DRAPED ON THE CHAIR
SOMETIMES I SWEAR
I FEEL YOU THERE

ARE YOU STILL WATCHING OVER ME
FROM SOMEWHERE I CAN'T SEE
IS YOUR LOVE STILL THE AIR I BREATHE
OR AM I HOLDING ONTO DREAMS
ARE YOU STILL WATCHING OVER ME

THE STARS DON'T ANSWER
THE WIND WON'T SAY
BUT I CLOSE MY EYES
AND I START TO PRAY
IF YOU'RE OUT THERE
LET ME KNOW
EVEN JUST A WHISPER
SOFT AND LOW

08 FALSE THRONES

A SKY OF ASH AND BROKEN PRAYERS
GOLD DUST WHISPERS
NO ONE CARES
A KINGDOM BUILT ON SHATTERED STONE
FALSE THRONES
FALSE THRONES

WHO GAVE THE KEYS TO A RECKLESS HAND
A MAP OF CHAOS
NO PROMISED LAND

GODS WITH DICE
ROLLING LIES
SHAPING LIVES
BREAKING SKIES
FALSE DECISIONS
HOLLOW CRIES
THE GODS
THEY FALTER
WE PAY THE PRICE

A RIVER RUNS BUT IT BLEEDS RED
WORDS OF WISDOM LEFT UNSAID
CLOUDS OF JUDGMENT
THUNDER'S MOAN
FALSE THRONES
FALSE THRONES

WHO CROWNS THE FLAWED WITH THE POWER TO RULE
A PUPPET MASTER
A COSMIC FOOL

GODS WITH DICE
ROLLING LIES
SHAPING LIVES
BREAKING SKIES
FALSE DECISIONS
HOLLOW CRIES
THE GODS
THEY FALTER
WE PAY THE PRICE



09 SEARCHING THE SKY

I CALLED YOUR NAME INTO THE WIND TONIGHT
IT ANSWERED BACK WITH A HUSH
SO SLIGHT
ARE YOU UP THERE
BEYOND MY SIGHT

SEARCHING THE SKY
CALLING YOUR NAME
THROUGH CLOUDS AND STARS
IT'S NOT THE SAME
ARE YOU OUT THERE
ARE YOU FREE
OR JUST A MEMORY HAUNTING ME

I WALKED THE EARTH
I'VE SCoured THE GROUND
BUT HEAVEN'S GATES DON'T MAKE A SOUND
I KEEP LOOKING UP
BUT YOU'RE NOT FOUND

DO ANGELS KEEP YOU COMPANY
DO YOU STILL REMEMBER ME

SEARCHING THE SKY
CALLING YOUR NAME
THROUGH CLOUDS AND STARS
IT'S NOT THE SAME
ARE YOU OUT THERE
ARE YOU FREE
OR JUST A MEMORY HAUNTING ME

IF I COULD CLIMB THE MOONLIT STAIRS
I'D HOLD YOU CLOSE
ERASE DESPAIR
BUT ALL I HAVE ARE EMPTY PRAYERS



10 ECHOES IN THE HALLWAY

FADED PHOTOS ON THE WALL
EACH ONE A DOOR I CAN'T UNCALL
A TIME MACHINE INSIDE MY CHEST
IT PULLS ME EAST
IT PULLS ME WEST
A LAUGH
A TEAR
A BROKEN CALL

MEMORIES—THEY NEVER SAY GOODBYE
THEY HIDE IN SHADOWS
THEY TOUCH THE SKY
ECHOES IN THE HALLWAY
WHISPERS IN MY HEAD
THEY'RE THE LIVING
THEY'RE THE DEAD

YOUR SWEATER STILL SMELLS LIKE RAIN
BRINGS ME BACK TO THE SAME OLD PAIN
FOOTSTEPS IN AN EMPTY ROOM
SILENCE HUMS ITS STEADY TUNE
THE PAST WON'T LET ME BREAK THE CHAIN

DO YOU FEEL IT TOO
THE WAY TIME SKIPS THROUGH?

MEMORIES—THEY NEVER SAY GOODBYE
THEY HIDE IN SHADOWS
THEY TOUCH THE SKY
ECHOES IN THE HALLWAY
WHISPERS IN MY HEAD
THEY'RE THE LIVING
THEY'RE THE DEAD

A CRACKED MIRROR SHOWS THE YEARS I'VE LOST
EVERY GLANCE CARRIES A HIDDEN COST
BUT I HOLD THEM TIGHT
THOUGH THEY SLIP AND SLIDE
THESE GHOSTS OF YOU
THEY'LL NEVER HIDE



11 THE DISTANT CALL

THE WIND WHISPERS LOW THROUGH THE TREES SO TALL
A SHADOW MOVES BUT LEAVES NO FALL
IS IT THE NIGHT OR JUST MY MIND
CALLING ME TO WHAT I CANNOT FIND

A VOICE I HEAR
IT'S SOFT
IT BENDS
IT LOOPS
IT ECHOES
IT NEVER ENDS

THE DISTANT CALL
IT PULLS ME NEAR
THROUGH THE MIST
THROUGH THE FEAR
THE DISTANT CALL
I CAN'T IGNORE
IT OPENS LOCKS
IT SHUTS NO DOOR

A PATH UNWINDS LIKE A SILVER THREAD
THE MOON STANDS GUARD WHERE NONE HAVE TREAD
MY FEET MOVE SLOW BUT MY HEART BEATS FAST
CHASING MOMENTS THAT REFUSE TO LAST

WHO SINGS THE SONG
WHO CASTS THE SPELL
A SIREN'S HYMN OR A TOLLING BELL
I REACH
I GRASP
BUT IT SLIPS AWAY
LIKE DREAMS DISSOLVED AT BREAK OF DAY

THE DISTANT CALL
IT PULLS ME NEAR
THROUGH THE MIST
THROUGH THE FEAR
THE DISTANT CALL
I CAN'T IGNORE
IT OPENS LOCKS
IT SHUTS NO DOOR



12 MESSAGE IN THE SKY

I WROTE IT ON PAPER
FOLDED IT TIGHT
A WISH
A WHISPER
A SPARK IN THE NIGHT
DO YOU HEAR ME
DO YOU SEE ME
OR AM I JUST A FLICKER IN THE BREEZE

I LIT A CANDLE
I MADE IT GLOW
HOPING IT REACHES WHERE SHADOWS DON'T GO

I'M SENDING A MESSAGE TO HEAVEN
CAN YOU READ THE STARS
EVERY WORD IS A PIECE OF MY HEART
NO MATTER HOW FAR
I'M SENDING A MESSAGE
A MESSAGE TO YOU
CARRIED BY THE WIND
THROUGH THE SKIES SO BLUE

THE CLOUDS LOOK HEAVY
BUT THEY WON'T FALL
DO THEY HOLD THE WEIGHT OF MY WORDS AT ALL
I SPEAK TO THE SILENCE
I SHOUT TO THE SKY
TELL ME
DO ECHOES EVER REPLY

I TIED MY DREAMS TO A SILVER BALLOON
AND LET IT RISE TO THE PALE-FACED MOON

I'M SENDING A MESSAGE TO HEAVEN
CAN YOU FEEL THE PULL
EVERY LINE IS A PIECE OF MY SOUL
A HEART GROWN FULL
I'M SENDING A MESSAGE
A MESSAGE TO YOU
THROUGH THE LIGHT
THROUGH THE NIGHT
PAST THE ENDLESS BLUE



13 ECHOES OF THE MACHINE

METAL SKIES PULSE WITH LIGHT
FLICKERING VEINS OF A DYING FIGHT
I REACH BUT THE VOID SWALLOWS ME WHOLE
ELECTRIC WHISPERS CRAWL THROUGH MY SOUL

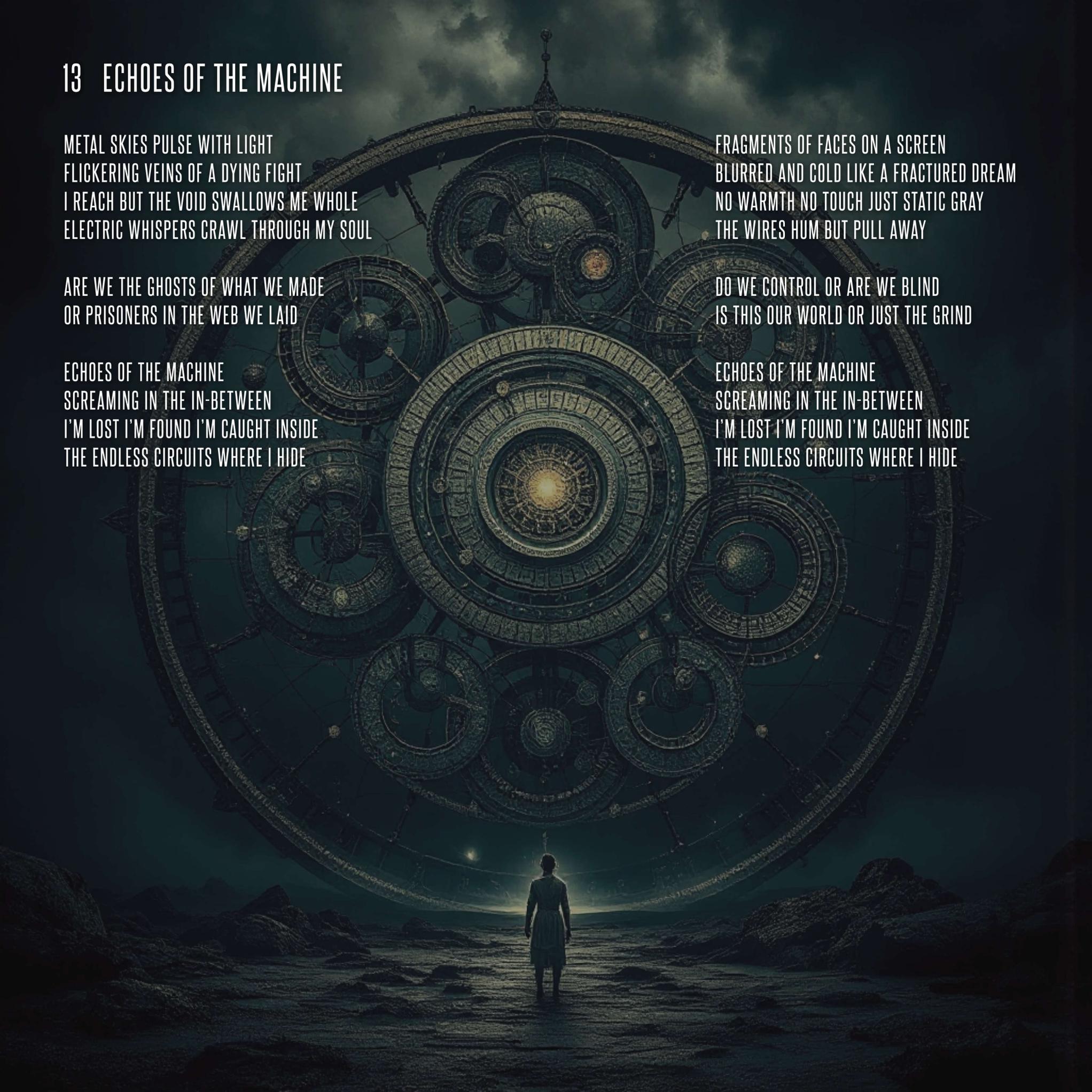
ARE WE THE GHOSTS OF WHAT WE MADE
OR PRISONERS IN THE WEB WE LAID

ECHOES OF THE MACHINE
SCREAMING IN THE IN-BETWEEN
I'M LOST I'M FOUND I'M CAUGHT INSIDE
THE ENDLESS CIRCUITS WHERE I HIDE

FRAGMENTS OF FACES ON A SCREEN
BLURRED AND COLD LIKE A FRACTURED DREAM
NO WARMTH NO TOUCH JUST STATIC GRAY
THE WIRES HUM BUT PULL AWAY

DO WE CONTROL OR ARE WE BLIND
IS THIS OUR WORLD OR JUST THE GRIND

ECHOES OF THE MACHINE
SCREAMING IN THE IN-BETWEEN
I'M LOST I'M FOUND I'M CAUGHT INSIDE
THE ENDLESS CIRCUITS WHERE I HIDE



14 FOREVER IS A FLICKER

A CLOCK WITH NO HANDS SPINS ROUND AND ROUND
THE SKY WEARS A CROWN
NO START NO GROUND
I CHASE THE EDGE BUT IT RUNS AWAY
THE NIGHT WHISPERS SECRETS THE STARS WON'T SAY

FOREVER IS A FLICKER
A SPARK IN THE DARK
A RIVER WITH NO ENDING
NO PLACE TO EMBARK
IT'S A SHADOW
IT'S A GLOW
IT'S A QUESTION UNTAMED
FOREVER IS A FLICKER
NEVER THE SAME

FOOTPRINTS VANISH WHERE THE SANDS DON'T STAY
THE MOON PULLS THE TIDES
BUT IT WON'T OBEY
I BREATHE IN THE VAST
EXHALE THE UNKNOWN
THIS MOMENT'S A SEED WHERE INFINITY'S GROWN

NO LINE TO CROSS
NO PAGE TO TURN
THE FIRE BURNS
BUT IT DOESN'T BURN

FOREVER IS A FLICKER
A SPARK IN THE DARK
A RIVER WITH NO ENDING
NO PLACE TO EMBARK
IT'S A SHADOW
IT'S A GLOW
IT'S A QUESTION UNTAMED
FOREVER IS A FLICKER
NEVER THE SAME

THE WIND HUMS A TUNE NO ONE CAN HEAR
IT BENDS TIME
IT BENDS SPACE
IT BENDS FEAR
THE STARS
THEY FALL
BUT THEY NEVER LAND
ETERNITY'S A DANCE WE DON'T UNDERSTAND



15 FALLING THROUGH THE SKY

THE NIGHT IS HEAVY BUT THE STARS WON'T CRY
I REACH FOR SHADOWS AS THEY PASS ME BY
MY HANDS ARE EMPTY YET THEY HOLD THE PAIN
OF EVERY ECHO CALLING OUT YOUR NAME

I'M FALLING THROUGH THE SKY WITH NO WINGS TO HOLD
THE AIR IS COLD BUT YOUR MEMORY IS BOLD
IF I COULD TOUCH THE CLOUDS I'D CARVE YOUR FACE
BUT I'M JUST FALLING IN THIS ENDLESS SPACE

THE GROUND IS CLOSER BUT IT FEELS SO FAR
I TRACE YOUR SMILE LIKE A FADING SCAR
EACH WHISPERED MOMENT SLIPPING THROUGH MY GRIP
LIKE WATER RUNNING FROM A SINKING SHIP

I'M FALLING THROUGH THE SKY WITH NO WINGS TO HOLD
THE AIR IS COLD BUT YOUR MEMORY IS BOLD
IF I COULD TOUCH THE CLOUDS I'D CARVE YOUR FACE
BUT I'M JUST FALLING IN THIS ENDLESS SPACE

THE STRINGS ARE BREAKING ON THIS FRAGILE TUNE
BUT I KEEP PLAYING UNDERNEATH THE MOON
IF LOVE'S A FIRE THEN IT BURNED ME WHOLE
YET HERE I AM STILL CHASING WHAT YOU STOLE

I'M FALLING THROUGH THE SKY WITH NO WINGS TO HOLD
THE AIR IS COLD BUT YOUR MEMORY IS BOLD
IF I COULD TOUCH THE CLOUDS I'D CARVE YOUR FACE
BUT I'M JUST FALLING IN THIS ENDLESS SPACE

16 ALONG THE STARRY PATH

THE NIGHT HUMS LOW A VELVET TUNE
SILVER WHISPERS BENEATH THE MOON
I TRACE THE SKY WITH A BROKEN MAP
EACH STAR A STITCH IN HEAVEN'S LAP

ALONG THE STARRY PATH WE GO
WHERE TIME FORGETS THE EBB AND FLOW
HEARTS BEAT SOFT LIKE WINGS IN FLIGHT
CHASING DREAMS THROUGH ENDLESS NIGHT

THE TREES BOW DOWN IN SHADOWS TALL
A QUIET KINGDOM WHERE ECHOES FALL
FOOTSTEPS FADE LIKE WAVES ON SAND
THE UNIVERSE CRADLES OUR OPEN HAND

OH THE STARS THEY LAUGH THEY CRY
THEY HOLD THE SECRETS OF THE SKY
EVERY TEAR A COMET'S GLIDE
EVERY WISH A SOUL UNTIED

ALONG THE STARRY PATH WE GO
WHERE TIME FORGETS THE EBB AND FLOW
HEARTS BEAT SOFT LIKE WINGS IN FLIGHT
CHASING DREAMS THROUGH ENDLESS NIGHT

AND WHEN THE DAWN BEGINS TO BLOOM
THE STARS RETREAT TO VELVET GLOOM
BUT THEIR WHISPERS LINGER IN THE AIR
GUIDING US
STILL
TO SOMEWHERE RARE



17 SEE YOU BEHIND THE RAINBOW

THE SKY IS CRYING TEARS OF GOLD
THE AIR FEELS HEAVY BUT THE BREEZE IS COLD
I CHASE THE LIGHT WHERE COLORS COLLIDE
WHERE SECRETS WHISPER AND SHADOWS HIDE

SEE YOU BEHIND THE RAINBOW
WHERE THE WORLD TURNS SLOW
SEE YOU WHERE THE COLORS GROW
THAT'S WHERE I'LL GO

THE GROUND IS PAINTED IN FADED HUES
A CANVAS BLEEDING WITH BORROWED BLUES
I WALK ON LINES THAT BEND AND BREAK
FOLLOWING ECHOES THE STARS AWAKE

EVERY SHADE A MEMORY
EVERY DROP A KEY

SEE YOU BEHIND THE RAINBOW
WHERE THE WORLD TURNS SLOW
SEE YOU WHERE THE COLORS GROW
THAT'S WHERE I'LL GO

THROUGH THE ARC WHERE DREAMS UNFOLD
A PRISM OF STORIES NEVER TOLD
I'LL WAIT IN THE GLOW THAT THE SPECTRUM SENDS
UNTIL THE START MEETS THE END



18 BETWEEN WORLDS

I WALK WHERE SHADOWS STRETCH AND FADE
FEET ON GROUND
BUT SKIES INVADE
WHISPERS ECHO
SECRETS TRADE

I'M BETWEEN WORLDS
I'M NOWHERE BOUND
A SILENT HUM
A SHIFTING SOUND
BETWEEN THE EDGES
LOST AND FOUND

THE AIR IT BENDS
THE COLORS BREAK
STARS LIKE GLASS
THE NIGHT'S AWAKE
EVERY STEP A THREAD I TAKE

DO YOU SEE IT? CAN YOU FEEL?
WHAT IS DREAM AND WHAT IS REAL?

I'M BETWEEN WORLDS
I'M NOWHERE BOUND
A SILENT HUM
A SHIFTING SOUND
BETWEEN THE EDGES
LOST AND FOUND

ONE HAND IN FIRE
THE OTHER IN SNOW
THE WINDS THEY PULL
THE TIDES THEY SHOW
I'M CAUGHT IN PLACES I'LL NEVER KNOW

19 FOREVER IS A LONG WORD

I FOUND A CLOCK WITH NO HANDS
IT WHISPERED TIME HAS NO PLANS
THE SUN SET TWICE IN MY DREAMS LAST NIGHT

THE STARS HUNG LOW LIKE THEY KNEW
SOMETHING BIG
SOMETHING TRUE
BUT THEY KEPT THEIR SECRETS OUT OF SIGHT

FOREVER IS A LONG WORD TO SAY
IT STRETCHES FURTHER THAN NIGHT OR DAY
NO START NO STOP NO WAY TO MEASURE
JUST AN ENDLESS LOOP OF FLEETING TREASURE

A TREE GROWS RINGS YOU CAN'T SEE
COUNTING YEARS THAT MIGHT NEVER BE
ITS ROOTS DIG DEEP LIKE THEY'RE CHASING THE PAST

THE RIVER LAUGHS BUT IT WON'T SLOW
WHERE IT'S GOING I DON'T KNOW
IT RUNS LIKE IT KNOWS FOREVER WON'T LAST

AND I WONDER IF IT'S ALL PRETEND
OR IF CIRCLES HAVE NO END



20 ECHOES OF THE SKY

DUST ON THE GROUND IRON IN THE AIR
SHADOWS STRETCH LONG BUT YOU'RE NOT THERE
I SCREAM YOUR NAME IT WON'T COME BACK
THE WIND JUST HOWLS THE SKY TURNS BLACK

WHERE DID YOU GO WHERE DO YOU HIDE
THE ECHOES OF YOU WON'T LEAVE MY SIDE
THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS THROUGH THE STORM
I SEARCH FOR THE SOUL THAT KEPT ME WARM

THE DRUMS THEY POUND LIKE A BROKEN HEART
EACH BEAT A TEAR TEARING ME APART
THE STARS THEY BLINK LIKE YOUR FLEETING GAZE
LOST IN THE SMOKE OF A THOUSAND DAYS

THE SKY BURNS RED IT WHISPERS LIES
I SEE YOUR FACE IN PHANTOM SKIES

WHERE DID YOU GO WHERE DO YOU HIDE
THE ECHOES OF YOU WON'T LEAVE MY SIDE
THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS THROUGH THE STORM
I SEARCH FOR THE SOUL THAT KEPT ME WARM

THROAT CHANTS RISE FROM THE DEPTHS OF PAIN
A CHOIR OF GHOSTS CALLS YOUR NAME
THE EARTH IT TREMBLES THE HEAVENS CRY
BUT STILL NO ANSWER NO REPLY

21 MESSAGE FROM HEAVEN

I SAT BY THE WINDOW ALL NIGHT LONG
THE STARS BLINKED SLOW LIKE A BROKEN SONG
THE MOON HUNG HEAVY BUT IT DIDN'T SPEAK

I'M WAITING FOR YOUR MESSAGE FROM HEAVEN
A SIGN THAT WHISPERS
A WORD UNSPOKEN
I'M WAITING
WAITING
MY HEART'S WIDE OPEN

THE WIND IT CARRIED A SCENT OF RAIN
LIKE A VOICE TOO FAINT TO EXPLAIN
IT KISSED MY CHEEK BUT LEFT NO NAME

IS IT THE SKY OR JUST MY MIND
WILL YOUR LOVE BREAK THROUGH THE LINES

I'M WAITING FOR YOUR MESSAGE FROM HEAVEN
A TRACE OF GOLD IN THE DARK
UNBROKEN
I'M WAITING
WAITING
MY HEART'S WIDE OPEN

A FEATHER FALLS
A SHADOW BENDS
ARE YOU OUT THERE
WILL IT END
OR IS THE SILENCE ALL YOU SEND



22 IN THE RIVER OF ETERNITY

I DIPPED MY TOES WHERE THE SHADOWS PLAY
THE WATER WHISPERED
DON'T DRIFT AWAY
A THOUSAND ECHOES
A SILENT PLEA

IN THE RIVER OF ETERNITY
WHERE TIME BENDS LIKE A WILLOW TREE
I AM AND WAS AND YET TO BE

THE MOON FELL TWICE INTO THE STREAM
EACH DROP A SHARD OF SOMEONE'S DREAM
IT MELTED SOFTLY
BECAME UNSEEN

I ASKED THE STARS
WHAT DO THEY KNOW
THEY BLINKED AND LAUGHED
SAID LET IT GO

IN THE RIVER OF ETERNITY
WHERE TIME BENDS LIKE A WILLOW TREE
I AM AND WAS AND YET TO BE

I HELD MY BREATH
THE WATER HELD ME
A CRADLE OF FOREVER
WILD AND FREE
NO NEED TO FIGHT
NO NEED TO FLEE

