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"Ballad Of Treason"

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This kiss is a crime
Let's not waste time
The cover of night is breaking

They even the score
We capture five more
Make a forbidden offering

Our heads are two stakes
Let's pull down the gates
Declaring freedom

Send out our armies
Bring death to our colonies
Our harmony drowns out the cries of our enemies

Climb up to a treetop I'll be on a mountain top
Looking for you across the valley
Birds pull you higher while the sky is on fire
Searching for the dying daylight
I need you, I need you, I need you

â€œâ€œOur bodies are pyres
Waiting for fireâ€œâ€œ
The judge and the generals
Claim jurisdiction

â€œâ€œThe faithful assemble
The crowd starts to trembleâ€œâ€œ
The gavel it rises
And begins to fallâ€œâ€œ

Treason proclaimed
Pyres burst into flameâ€œâ€œ
Two souls ride the sparks
Into the blue

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â€”â€”This world is a shackle
Let's shout til it rattlesâ€”
Bring down the walls of Jericho

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