

## **Babybird**

# **"Take Me Back"**

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Found you on the roadside  
Little cuts and bruises underneath your chin  
You begged them to bury you before your life sets in  
She sees me in the garden  
Pulling petals off the flowers  
She closes all the windows  
Shuts down on the bed and shivers

Take her back in time to the place before it happened  
Before it happened  
Take me back in time to the place where it happened  
Where it happened

He scratched your eyes, your pretty eyes  
With a handful of rusty nails  
And then he pushed you into a ditch  
With the slugs and the snails  
I'm so angry she's not angry  
Every second of every hour  
She shuts the door and slides the latch in  
Tries to wash him off in the shower

Take her back in time to the place before it happened  
Before it happened  
Take me back to the roadside where, where it  
happened  
Before it happened  
Where it happened

He lay there for three days  
Your heart held in his knuckles  
He tried to pull out your hair  
Rip the scalp with his buckle  
Look at you now  
You're like no girl I know  
I would have stabbed him  
(Who would have stopped me?)  
I would have stabbed him  
(You would have stopped me)  
Dead

