

Emilie Autumn

"I Don't Understand"

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[Thomson:]

Let me take your picture...

[Emily:]

Is that a camera?

[Thomson:]

Yes, it is. And when I light the powder...

[Emily:]

Ah! How long does it take?

[Thomson:]

Well, are you very good at sitting still?

[Emily:]

Why do you ask?

[Thomson:]

For, if you're not,
then we'll have to clamp your head in place...

[Emily:]

You really do that?

[Thomson:]

You'd be surprised how often.

[Emily:]

I've had enough of clamps...

[Thomson:]

I don't understand...

[Emily:]

He doesn't, does he...

[Thomson:]

What are all these bruises?

[Emily:]

Does he know where he is?

[Thomson:]

These lacerations... may I look?

[Emily:]

What's all this for?

[Thomson:]

Why is she here?

She doesn't seem to be insane at all...

Would you allow me to place these flowers in your hair?

[Emily:]

He seems so nervous...

[Thomson:]

Pardon me...

[Emily:]

He's very pretty...

[Thomson:]

There now... better than by far.

[Emily:]

Should we hide the scar?

[Thomson:]

No! The scar is beautiful... it's like a heart...

[Emily:]

I'm like Ophelia again. Is it ever over? Will never end?
What accounts for this morbid fascination with this
suicidal girls? Pretend you're drowning... moan and
sigh... only thing you're not told is the reason why. This
obsession is madness at its most perverse. My God,
what in the world could be the purpose of this game
when every time it ends the same? Poor Shakespeare's
turning in his grave! Still I must behave... Doctor's little
slave...

[Thomson:]

No! No, that's perfect! Don't move an inch! That's far
more real.

I've never seen a face like hers... the world should look
upon it...

Well, I suppose that's why they've brought me here.

Miss I think you...

[Emily:]

I've done nothing...

[Thomson:]

She's done more than she knows...

[Emily:]

I haven't heard those words in years... The Chaser's coming for me...

[Thomson:]

Why must she be chained? I don't understand...

[Emily:]

He doesn't, does he...

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