

## Hidden In Plain View "Garden Statement"

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The traffic's backed for miles  
On these quiet suburban roads  
While the rubber necking strangers  
Are dying to see these victims wounds  
Cause he's all alone  
With his notebooks and poems  
In this open grave where he wrote  
All of his secrets  
That became his lyrics  
With no intent to show anyone

[Chorus:]

And we give, and we give  
But it's all for nothing  
Its all for nothing  
We try to resist,  
But I gave everything  
And its all for nothing

So the panic sets and cycles  
His mind for restless sleep  
And while the blood-sucking leeches  
Contaminate every line they read  
Just leave him alone in this dark room(tightly wrapped  
cocoon)  
This white sheet, his tightly wrapped cocoon

Cause its no secret  
I fucking need this  
Like I don't need anyone

[Chorus x2]

It's like I'm falling asleep with my eyes open  
shutting down and off the lights  
cause after all of this it's all or nothing  
still I wouldn't try to ...

I've fallen asleep with my eyes open  
(and you'll lie to all your friends)  
(about sights you never saw)  
Shutting down and off the lights

(and you'll preach to all the press)  
(about what you don't know at all)  
Cause after all of this it's all or nothing

Still I wouldn't try to fight

So let me drown so I can breathe again  
I'm through choking and suffocating  
On alter egos and alter motives  
Which weigh you down and take control of  
The way you are and the things that you need  
The life you live and the dreams that you dream  
Distort and blur all in slow motion  
They broke you down and now your broken  
(Spill the ink and spill your guts again)\*16 times in the  
background\*

And it's sadder than the saddest movie  
I ever saw but without the beauty  
So I stopped watching, I stopped caring  
I've lost all interest and I stopped wearing  
These plastic smiles, I've washed my hands clean  
Forget that you forgot about me  
And I'm living life, the big city feeling  
It's better than suburban dreaming  
Living off the friends that hate you  
Talk shit on me like I don't know who  
My real friends are anymore, no,  
I don't know you anymore  
And it's sadder than the saddest movie  
I ever saw, but without the beauty  
So I stopped watching, I stopped caring

Spill the ink and spill your guts again!

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