Manowar "Achiles, Agony And Ecstasy"

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PRELUDE

I. HECTOR STORMS THE WALL

See my chariot Run to your ships I'll drive you back in the sea You came here for gold The wall will not hold This day was promised to me The Gods are my shield My fate has been sealed Lightning and javelins fly Soon many will fall We are storming the wall Stones fall snow from the sky We will pay with our glory In the fire of battle Zeus today is mine Killing all in my way Like sheep and like cattle Smashing skulls of all who defy I spare not the hammer I spare not the sword This day will ring with my name None have to chase me Let he who will face me Kill me or die by the sword

II. The Death Of Patroclus

Oh friend of mine, how to say goodbye
This was your time, but the armor you wore was mine
I will not rest until Hector's blood is spilled
His bones will all be broken
Dragged across the field
This dear friend is how we'll say goodbye
Until we meet in the sky

III. Funeral March

IV. ARMOR OF THE GODS

V. HECTOR'S FINAL HOUR

Here inside the walls of Troy, the Gods weigh my fate
From this day do I abstain, to a memory of hate
To pay for all the blood that spilled
The many thousands I did kill
No walls can contain the Gods almighty will
I hear the silent voices, I cannot hide
The Gods leave no choices so we all must die
Oh Achilles let the arrows fly
Into the wind, where eagles cross the sky
Today my mortal blood will mix with sand
It was foretold, I will die by thy hand
Into Hades my soul descends

Vi. Death Hector's Reward

Cowards in the grip of fear, no valor to uphold Cut into the Earth, with honour long been sold For all shall come to know me as they fall unto their knees

Zeus the thunderer, control my destiny When the cards of life were dealt, my hand a ruthless fate

To avenge, and bringeth fury, Hector feel my hate A bloodbath I was born to bring, my birth I'm an assassin

To cut the cord of life and death, ties to Earth unfasten

Blood and fire death and hate, your body I will desecrate

Dogs and vultures eat your flesh the hall the Hades waits

Kill kill kill kill...

Hector's blood lies on the battlefield, his body's mangled wounds

The Gods who once protected him are now his Gods of doom

Like a tower standing tall, steadfast in direction I fall upon you bringing death, the Gods give no protection

Coward in the grip of fear, no valor to uphold Cut into the Earth, with honor long been sold For all shall come to know me as they fall unto their knees

Zeus the thunderer, control my destiny

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desecrate
Dogs and vultures eat your flesh the hall of Hades
waits
Die die die die ...

VII. The Desecration Of Hector's Body

PART 1

PART 2

VIII. THE GLORY OF ACHILLES

The oath of the Gods, this day was fulfilled In the heat of the battle. Hector was killed See him Patroclus, down in the dust Rejoice in his death my symbol of trust A dozen highborn youths, have been killed Cutting their throats their blood was all spilled Their bodies set at the foot of your fire With oxen, sheep and two of your hounds Your funeral Pyre high off the ground Hector's body dragged three times around I will carry the torch to your funeral Pyre I will ask of the wind to send high your fire Hector's blood will not be washed from my body Until your body is burned A prophecy spoken a promise fulfilled More blood will be spilled, more will be killed

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