

## Ancient Rites

### "Powerslave"

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Into the abyss I'll fall-the eye of Horus  
Into the eyes of the night-watching me go  
Green is the cat's eye that glows-in this temple  
Enter the risen Osiris-risen again.

#### CHORUS

Tell me why I had to be a powerslave  
I don't wanna die, I'm a god, why can't I live on?  
When the Life Giver dies, all around is laid waste.  
And in my last hour,  
I'm a slave to the power of death.

When I was living this lie-fear was my game  
People would worship and fall-drop to their knees  
So bring me the blood and red wine for the one to  
succeed me  
For he is a man and a god-and he will die too.

#### CHORUS

Now I am cold but a ghost lives in my veins,  
Silent the terror that reigned-marbled in stone  
Shell of a man God preserved-a thousand ages  
But open the gates of my hell-I will strike from the  
grave.

#### CHORUS

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