

## Ulver

# "A Memorable Fancy 1"

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As I was walking among the fires of hell, delighted with  
the enjoyment of  
genius, which to angels look like torment and insanity, I  
collected some  
of their proverbs: thinking that as the saying used in a  
nation mark its  
character. So the proverbs of hell shew the nature of  
infernal wisdom  
better than any description of buildings or garments.  
When I came home: on  
the abyss of the five senses, where a flat sided steep  
frowns over the  
present world, I saw a mighty Devil folded in black  
clouds, hovering on  
the sides of rock, with corroding fires He wrote the  
following sentence  
now perceived by the minds of men & read by them on  
earth: how do you know  
bu ev'ry bird that cuts the airy way, is an immense  
world of delight,  
clos'd by your senses five?

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