

Mars Volta, The "Cassandra Geminni"

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Cassandra Geminni I [4:45] [Track 05]
[1.Tarantism]

I think I've become one of the others
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[2.Plant a Nail in the Navel Stream]

"There was a frail syrup dripping off his lap danced
lapel
punctuated by her decrepit prowl
she washed down the hatching gizzard
Soft as a mane of needles
His orifice icicles hemorrhaged
By combing her torso to a pile
Perspired the trophy shelves made room for his
collapse
She was a mink handjob in sarcophagus heels..."

Bring me to my knees
Read the sharpened lines
All my arms
Bled me blind

Faucet leaks in shadows
Spilling from morgue lancet
Caressed your fontanelle

I've sworn to kill
Every last one
Every last one

Panic in the shakes of the wounded
Panic in the worms
Onto the floor
And out of your mouth
Out of your eyelids

No there's no light
In the darkest of your furthest reaches

No there's no light
In the darkest of your furthest reaches

All your dreams
splintered off
Leech by leech
On this catafalque

Anyone will tell you
Yes anyone
Chance had me setting a trip wire alarm

Your mother flirted with disease
When she skinned that costume
by it's navel strings

Panic in the shakes of the wounded
Panic in the worms
Onto the floor
And out of your mouth
Out of your eyelids

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In the darkest of your furthest reaches
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No there's no light
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[3.Faminepulse]

Shockless shackles free you
Volt face cons
abandon you again,
I won't be owned
Not this time

Shockless shackles free you
Volt face cons
abandon you again
I won't feel
not this time

Cassandra Geminni II [6:40] [Track 06]

Brick by brick
the night eclipsed
Pricked by cuticle thorns
Dried the sleep

on nursery slits
Into this life I'm born

Heaven's just a scab away
I'd like to see you after just one taste

Sink your teeth into the flesh of midnight
Night forevermore
let them see it has begun
The others I've become

If you should see the dice
Charmed with it's snaked choked eyes
You'll wear the widows weeds
Because they're just your size

Behind the snail secretion
Leaves a dry heave that absorbs
a limbless procreation
let the infant crawl deformed

A bag replace the breath
of these suffocating sheets
and now when the craving calls
I'll scratch my itchy teeth

And soon
Come on
if you don't know
Come on
if you don't know
Come on
if you don't know

Sink your teeth into the flesh
into the flesh of midnight
Night forever more
Sink your teeth into
the flesh of midnight
Night forever more

She fell for the whispers
Sister flooded deaf tears
that night tore a river
in her baron womb mirror

And his multiple sons
with their mandible tongues
set crucified fires to petrified homes
I want to let it burn
I want to let it burn...

And the owls they were watching
and the owls didn't care
then the owls came a knocking
placentas in their stares

They will feed on all the carnage
leftover from the flood
and in the corner of their eyes
fled sister L'Via
sister L'Via...

Now the pieces went floating
reflecting all at dusk
conceived from the stabbing
was Vismund Cygnus

Twenty-five wives in the lake tonight...

Cassandra Gemini III [2:55] [Track 07]
[4. Multiple Spouse Wounds]

Twenty-five wives in the lake tonight
raw bark in the water of the marble shrine
Twenty-five snakes pour out your eyes
yeah the icepicks cumming on the marble shrine

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Twenty-five snakes pour out your eyes
yeah the icepicks cumming
cumming tonight

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Twenty-five snakes pour out your eyes
yeah the icepicks cumming on the marble shrine

Twenty-five wives in the lake tonight
raw bark in the water of the marble shrine
Twenty-five snakes pour out your eyes
Twenty-five snakes are drowning...
drowning...
drowning...

Cassandra Gemini IV [7:41] [Track 08]

You cant bend your crooked arms
or fold your punctured proof
the air is growing cold (cold...)
and there's nothing you can do

Soon there'll be no gauze
inside the confessional
only rows of crows
defrocking every breath (breath...)

And one day you'll remember
behind the melting cones
I said one day you'll remember
behind the melting cones

You've already had a family
in the burial of your home
in the burial of your home
of your home...

Not forevermore

And I peel back all of my skin
peel it back
let it all run
And I peel back all of my skin
peel it back
let it all run
Peel back all of my skin...

Cassandra Gemini V [4:59] [Track 09]

Cassandra Gemini VI [3:48] [Track 10]

Brick by brick
the night eclipsed
Pricked by cuticle thorns
Dried the sleep
on nursery slits
Into this life I'm born

Heaven's just a scab away
I'd like to see you after just one taste

Sink your teeth into the flesh of midnight
Night forever more
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Cassandra Gemini VII. [0:46] [Track 11]

No there's no light
In the darkest of your furthest reaches
No there's no light
In the darkest of your furthest reaches

No there's no light
In the darkest of your furthest reaches
No there's no light
In the darkest of your furthest reaches

(No there's no light
No there's no time
You ain't got nothing
Your life was just a lie...)

Cassandra Gemini VIII [0:54] [Track 12]
[5. Sarcophagi]

The ocean floor is hidden
from you viewing lense
a death perception
languished in the night
all my life
I've been sewing the wounds
but these seeds
sprout a lachrymal cloud...

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