

# The Damned

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You say you're gonna help me see things in a way that's too real  
I really wanna talk to you but I know you already made my deal  
I've been driving all night, been running from the truth  
And [?] tryna cut it loose You got all your believers  
You water's onion blue  
But your hands are stained in red Somehow I believe you, but I know you manipulate the truth  
The way it's getting heavy, I don't know what I should do  
You got me wrapped up, somehow I'm so confused  
But if you lead me to the fire I'm gonna light the fuse A shrine for believers  
[?] you can't escape  
It all looks so good with the lights off  
You say let me slip into your deepest dream  
And I will show you love  
Goddamn me for believing in you  
Goddamn your system, makes me do the things I do  
Insert your knife, it's your nature to be cruel  
Goddamn me for believing in you Oh, I'm the damned Right where you want me and I know I'm  
stuck in my shoes  
I follow up on this man now I'm broke from paying dues  
You're not a failure, and now I know  
When you belong to the unknown they never let you go A shrine for believers  
I know that I can't escape  
It always looks so good with the lights off  
Won't you let me slip into your darkest dream  
I will love you to love me Goddamn me for believing in you  
Goddamn your system, makes me do the things I do  
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Insert your knife, it's your nature to be cruel  
Goddamn me for believing in you Oh, the damned  
Will you ever let me go  
Oh, I am the damned

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