Rose Hotel

A Pawn Surrender
Album Lyrics

FALL IN LOVE AGAIN AND AGAIN

I'M SO EXCITED I COULD RUN
I FALL IN LOVE AGAIN AND AGAIN
ALWAYS TOO MUCH AND NOT ENOUGH
FALLING IN LOVE AGAIN AND AGAIN
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IT'S SLOWLY GROWING LIKE A TIDE
I FEEL IT RISING AGAINST MY SKIN
I'M FORCED TO TAKE IT AS A SIGN
OF FALLING IN LOVE AGAIN AND AGAIN

TUMESCENT FEATURES OF THE ROOM
GLIMMER AND GLISTEN AT THE MOMENT WHEN
OUR VOICES ECHO TO THE TUNE
OF FALLING IN LOVE AGAIN AND AGAIN

I GET IGNITED EVERY TIME BUT SATISFACTION REFUSES TO BEND DO YOU CONSIDER IT A CRIME OF FALLING IN LOVE AGAIN AND AGAIN

FRUIT TREE

DO YOU WANNA TASTE ME TO SEE IF I'M WHAT YOU EXPECTED?
DO YOU WANNA CHASE ME TO FIND A WAY TO BREAK WHAT'S PROTECTED?
TO FIND A LANE THAT'S BEEN CONNECTED
YOU TAKE A RIDE THEN REDIRECT IT
YOU TAKE A RIDE THEN YOU'LL REJECT IT

ALL A DREAM UNTIL NOW
BITTERSWEET IN YOUR MOUTH
A POPPYSEED AND A VOW

SEEMS LIKE I'M A BEAUTY UNTIL YOU LOOK A LITTLE LONGER SEEMS LIKE I'M A FRUIT TREE AND THE AROMA'S GETTING STRONGER YOU PICK A PEACH DOWN JUST TO PONDER IT'S STICKY SWEET JUST HOW YOU WANT HER ARE YOU FOREVER CURSED TO WANDER? CAN YOU SEE YOUR WAY OUT THROUGH THE TREES FALLING DOWN? WEAR THEIR LEAVES LIKE A CROWN

DO YOU WANNA TASTE ME?

DROWN

I AM HONORED
TO RECEIVE YOUR BLESSING
IS THAT WHAT YOU HEARD?
ARE THOSE THE WORDS YOU CHOSE FOR ME?
TAKE WHAT YOU KNOW
TURN IT ON ITS HEAD AND LET IT GO IN THE WATER
I'M THE DAUGHTER THAT YOU'LL NEVER KNOW
YOU'LL NEVER KNOW

I WON'T DROWN IF I DON'T LOOK DOWN

I AM OLDER
OLD ENOUGH TO HAVE SEEN
YOUR DISORDER
AND HOW IT CAME TO DISORDER ME
SIMULATED ORCHESTRATED REALITY
THAT YOU CREATED
DON'T YOU HATE HOW I SET MYSELF FREE?
I SET MYSELF FREE

I CAN'T DROWN THE SOUND OF YOU OUT YOU ARE TALKING TOO DAMN LOUD

NOT LIKE THAT

I NEVER THOUGHT I'D HAVE TO SAY
YOU TOOK TOO LONG, YOU LET IT FADE
FORGET THE NOTION THAT I WOULD SUCCUMB SO FAST
YOU HAD IT WRONG, IT COULDN'T LAST
I KNOW YOU'RE NOT LIKE THAT

WE SPENT A YEAR
WE SHARED A WALL
WE'D GO OUT EVERY NIGHT
YEAH, WE WANTED IT ALL TO GO OUR WAY

WE THOUGHT IT WOULD ARE YOU HAPPY NOW?
DO YOU FEEL UNDERSTOOD?

I KNOW YOU'RE NOT LIKE THAT

NO, YOU DON'T KNOW HOW IT SEEMS NO, YOU DON'T KNOW

SO, NOW YOU'VE GONE AND TURNED AWAY FROM THE LOVER I'D BECOME AND TOOK A RIDE ON A BIG JET PLANE TO L.A. YOU'LL NEVER CHANGE WHY'D YOU NEVER CALL? D'YOU HAVE NOTHING TO SAY?

I KNOW YOU'RE NOT LIKE THAT

NO, YOU DON'T KNOW HOW IT SEEMS

KING AND A PAWN

TELL ME THE POINT OF SEEING THE OTHER SIDE FLIPPING A COIN TRYING TO DECIDE IF I SHOULD LISTEN TO THE VOICE THAT'S TELLING ME TO TAKE IT ALL IN STRIDE

YOU'RE AN OPPONENT OF A CERTAIN KIND SOFT ON THE SURFACE MAKING ME NERVOUS ABOUT WHAT'S BEHIND THE POETIC LANGUAGE SEEMS LIKE YOU'RE SPINNING SILK WITH EVERY LINE

ALL WE GOT LEFT
IS A KING AND A PAWN
WE'RE CAUGHT IN A STALEMATE, BABY
AND THAT'S JUST WHAT'S WRONG
CORNERING EACH OTHER
AVOIDING EVERY MOVE
REFUSING TO SURRENDER
EVEN WHEN IT'S THE BEST WE COULD DO
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HOW LONG'S IT GONNA TAKE FOR YOU TO CHOOSE WHAT TO HOLD ON TO AND WHAT YOU CAN AFFORD TO LOSE

IF YOU PURSUE THE FIGHT OVER THE SACRIFICE IT ONLY PROVES

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HARD TO BREAK THE HABIT OF STAYING STATIC AND AUTOMATICALLY LETTING THINGS SLIDE INTO COMPLACENCY CRUISING AIMLESSLY JUST TO SAY WE TRIED

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PUSHING ME

PUSHING ME YOU'RE PUSHING ME, PUSHING ME, PUSHING ME PUSHING ME YOU'RE PUSHING ME, PUSHING ME, PUSHING ME

CAN'T TELL YOU HOW IT FEELS
BUT I KNOW ENOUGH TO SAY IT'S WRONG
YOU COME AND ASK ME WHAT'S MY DEAL
DON'T KNOW WHAT TO SAY WITHOUT MY
WORDS COMING OFF TOO STRONG

PUSHING ME YOU'RE PUSHING ME, PUSHING ME, PUSHING ME PUSHING ME YOU'RE PUSHING ME, PUSHING ME, PUSHING ME DO YOU THINK I'LL FINALLY CHANGE
IF YOU WEAR ME DOWN A LITTLE MORE?
AND NOW YOU'VE GOT ME FEELING STRANGE
LIKE YOU ONLY SEE ME AS WHAT YOU CAN USE ME FOR

AND NOW YOU'RE PUSHING ME YOU'RE PUSHING ME, PUSHING ME, PUSHING ME PUSHING ME YOU'RE PUSHING ME, PUSHING ME, PUSHING ME

ON YOUR SIDE

SIDE, I'M ON YOUR SIDE, I'M ON YOUR SIDE NO MATTER HOW, NO MATTER WHY WITH EVERY SWOON, WITH EVERY SIGH I'M ON YOUR SIDE I'M ON YOUR SIDE, AND NOW I FIND A COMFORT IN, IN BEING CLOSER TO YOUR SKIN AND ON MOST NIGHTS I'D INVITE YOU IN AND I DON'T GIVE A REASON WHY

I WANT IT
TRYING TO BE KIND AND HONEST
TRYING TO READ YOUR MIND
I PROMISE
BUT SOMETIMES, I WANT IT

GIVE, WHAT COULD I GIVE, TO GET TO YOU?

'CAUSE HONEY I'D BE TAKING TOO

THE WAY YOU BREATHE, THE WAY YOU MOVE

THE THINGS YOU DO

THE THINGS YOU

DO YOU UNDERSTAND THE WAY I FEEL

UNDER YOUR HAND, ALMOST SURREAL

AND SOMEHOW TIME IS STANDING STILL

AND FORTUNE'S WHEEL IS SPINNIN' WILD

I WANT IT
TRYING TO BE MILD AND MODEST
TRYING TO EASE YOUR MIND
I PROMISE
BUT SOMETIMES

I GET BLISSED OUT ON A FEELING AND I MISS OUT ON THE SIGNS SHOULD I TRY TO FIGHT THIS FEVER IT'S RUNNIN' HIGH HIGH HIGH

PULL THE WOOL

THESE DAYS I OFTEN SEEM TO FIND
IT ISN'T EASY TO UNWIND
I'M ALWAYS MOVING TOO FAST FOR MY MIND
TO CATCH UP WITH THE THINGS THAT I LEFT BEHIND
WHAT I LEFT BEHIND

IF YOU COULD TAKE ME FOR ONE NIGHT
I MIGHT BELIEVE WE'D BE ALRIGHT
MY PATIENCE ISN'T ALWAYS IN PLAIN SIGHT
SO COULD YOU TELL ME YOU LOVE ME ONE MORE TIME
TELL ME ONE MORE TIME
TELL ME ONE MORE TIME

MY NIGHTS ARE SLEEPLESS
HOW DO WE KEEP THIS
MOMENT OF BLISSFUL IGNORANCE?
I'VE TRIED TO TAKE THE HIGH ROAD FOR THE LAST TIME
PULL THE WOOL BACK OVER MY EYES

WHO KNEW WHAT LIVING WOULD REQUIRE
THROUGH YEARS OF WARNING AND WILDFIRE
I'M SEARCHING FOR SOME SYMBOL TO ADMIRE
BUT MOSTLY I JUST END UP FEELING LIKE A GODDAMN LIAR
AM I LIAR?
AM I A LIAR?

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FEELS THE SAME

EVERY NIGHT

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EVERY NIGHT

I'M STILL THIS WAY

ALONE

INSIDE THE STORM

OF MY MIND

WOULD YOU BE, WOULD YOU BE, WOULD YOU BE

MY MIRROR?

SO YOU COULD SHOW

YOU COULD SHOW

YOU COULD SHOW ME

WHAT YOU SEE

IS THERE POISE?

IS THERE BEAUTY?

SHE'S SO FAR

SHE'S SO FAR

SHE'S SO FAR FROM ME

SO I FORGET

I FORGET

I FORGET I SEE HER FACE

IN MINE

EVERY SMILE

EVERY LINE

EVEN THE COLOR OF MY EYES

TOMORROW

TOMORROW

TOMORROW IS NEW

SO I MIGHT TRY

I MIGHT TRY

I MIGHT TRY AGAIN

TO FORGIVE WHAT'S BEEN SAID

BUT UNTIL THEN

EVERY DAY

EVERY DAY

EVERY DAY
I FEEL THE SAME

ILLUSION ANYWAY

KEEPIN' IT CLEANER
ON THIS SIDE
OF THE STREET I'M ON
BUT PARALYZED
FEELS LIKE A CRIME EVERY TIME
IT DOESN'T MATTER
THE REASONS WHY
ONLY WHAT FOR
HOW DO YOU LIKE TO CLEAR YOUR MIND?
BABE, YOU'RE GETTIN' OLDER NOW

I'VE BEEN AFRAID TO SLOW DOWN AND WATCH THE RAIN
AFRAID OF PASSING TIME, AFRAID OF LOSING MINE
AND I'VE BEEN ASHAMED
I'M CARRYING THE WEIGHT OF PAST LIVES
AND THE CURSES LEFT BEHIND
BUT I'VE LOST THE TASTE
FOR HEARTACHE AND MALAISE
IT'S A WASTE OF MY DAYS
AND IT'S ALL ILLUSION, ANYWAY

I'M TAKIN' A TURN NOW
I'M FORWARD BOUND
I'LL CATCH THE LAST TRAIN OUT
THE FACES PASSIN' IN THE CROWD
SEEM UNFAMILIAR SOMEHOW
FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH, I'VE BEEN HERE BEFORE
BUT ONE DAY AT A TIME
IS THE ONLY WAY TO KEEP THE SCORE
IT'S NOT A PROMISE, IT'S AN EITHER/OR

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