

ANATHEMA

IT IS HOW I SEE HIM
AN ANATHEMA UPON YOUR SOUL
YOUR INNOCENT BEING
FOR EVERY WORD YOU'VE EVER SPOKEN
THAT I'VE HEARD WITH MY OWN TWO EARS
HE IS THE LUCIFER TO YOUR GOD
THE IRRITATION TO YOUR PATIENCE
THE HATRED TO YOUR LOVE
PAIN IS ALL HE'LL BRING TO YOU
STRIKE YOU ONCE
IT WILL ENSUE AGAIN
ASK ANYONE WHO HAS SURVIVED
ESCAPE FROM HIS COMFORTABLE RESTRAINTS
BE FREE - LIBERATED
LIKE IN YOUR HEART YOU KNOW YOU NEED TO BE
FORGIVE ME FOR THESE WORDS
I SAY THIS AS A BROTHER
AND AS THE LOVER I WANT TO BE TO YOU
A CIRCLE HAS FORMED AROUND YOU BOTH
DRAWING OTHERS IN
LIKE A BLACK HOLE DEVOURS STARS
HE IS THE DEVIL DRESSED IN FALSE LUMINOSITY
BLACK SUNSHINE UPON YOUR DAY
THOUGH NIGHT IS WHAT HE BRINGS TO YOU
AS SURELY AS THE SUN DOES FALL
PEOPLE DON'T CHANGE
HE WON'T AND NEITHER WILL YOU
IT HURTS TO RELEASE THAT WHICH YOU'VE KNOWN SO LONG
INVESTED IN BOTH EMOTIONS AND TIME
WHAT YOU HAVE NOW IS WHAT YOU'LL HAVE LATER
LOVE WILL TEMPER
LUST WILL FADE
BUT THE VIOLENCE WON'T EASE
IT WILL NOT END
SADISTIC JEALOUSY CANNOT BE OVERCOME BY LOVE
NO MATTER HOW PURE THAT LOVE MAY BE
I FIGHT IT AGAINST IT MYSELF
I'VE SEEN POSSESSION IN ALL ITS FORMS
I SEE IT IN ALL I HEAR AND SEE
FROM THOSE THAT HAVE INTERACTED WITH HIM
THOUGH HONESTLY I DO NOT KNOW HIM WITHIN
BUT ACTIONS SPEAK FAR LOUDER THAN WORDS
AND HE ACTS UPON WORDS TOO STRONGLY
TOO LOUDLY
SWEET VICTORIA
I FEAR FOR YOU