

Black Dahlia
Angel Haze

[Intro]

N.C.

You should write a song where the concept isâ€|
Youâ€™re basically writing like a love letter, or like a piece of advice
To your mother, when she was your age

Am

I donâ€™t know

Am

Maybe I would write you a happy ending

Am

I would rearrange the pieces to your sad beginning

Am

I would put you far away from the decaying roots that bore you

Am

And let you experience all the ways that happiness could bloom before you

Am

Or maybe Iâ€™m naÃ¬veâ€|

Am

Maybe Iâ€™m just a kid who thought that if she could plant a seed

Am

It would somehow grow inside you

[Verse]

Am

Spent so much of my time wishing you were different

Am

But reality is that with life can t never be provision

Am

But if I could wish for one thing, Iâ€™d go back and Iâ€™d fix it

Am

Iâ€™d tackle all your obstacles and kill em with precision

F

And better the intentions of every single person

G

Who d play a part in you learning exactly what your worth is

Am

Iâ€™d shower you with purpose, Iâ€™d wipe hate off the surface

Am

Iâ€™d reshape all your pain and make it fucking worth it

Am

No more feeling worthless, no more fucking searching

Am

No more of that fraud shit, nobody else could hurt you

Am

Yeah, said nobody else could hurt you

Am

And if they ever tried too Iâ€™d wipe em from the Earth too

F

Cuz I know that you hurting baby, I know that you tired too

G

I know that you been running from everything thatâ€™s behind you

Am

I know youâ€™ve been burying everything deep inside you

Am

I can see it killing you, wish that I could revive you

Am

But Iâ€™m stuck sitting in this time frame

Am

Struggling with my demons and playing these stupid mind game

Am

One day it could get better, maybe it could get better

Am

Maybe we could change shit, no more inclement weather

F

Know you hated your mom, know it went through your mind

G

You were just like me, wish that you had more time

Am

To see life from a different angle, wrestle with a different angel

Am

Wouldnâ€™t lose your wings and fall from heaven like a cliffhanger

[Chorus]

Am

Everything is different now, nothing is the same

G

And nowadays I swear it feels like you donâ€™t know my name

F

But I look at the mirror and I see you every day

Dm

Iâ€™m you in every way, every hue and every shade

C

And maybe you should know, itâ€™s the last thing that I wanted

G

Cuz what I hate about you makes me feel like Iâ€™m haunted

Am

And I donâ€™t wanna spend the rest of my time on the run and-

Am

So Iâ€™m just gonna confront it, yeah Iâ€™m just gonna confront it

Am

And tell you that I love you for everything you made me

G

And that you need to hear this even if it makes you angry

F

God lives inside you, youâ€™ve already found him

Dm

The Devil lives in memories and you just let him hound you

C

And I despise your church for every fucking thing they taught you

G

Itâ€™s just a fucking stain that I wish I could wipe off you

Am

That I wish I could wipe off you

Am

And I forgive you for doing everything that it cost you

[Verse]

Am

Everything that it caused you

Am

Fame is such a heavy price I wish it didnâ€™t cost you

Am

Losing a part of me that would follow you to Hell

Am

Follow you to hatred, or follow you to jail

F

Followed you to patterns that I could never get out of

G

Now I realize that I could never make it with that love

Am

Now I realize that shit is the alternative outcome

Am

Never wanted you to save me, I just wish I count some

Am

I just wish that you grew up with someone you could count on

Am

I wish you knew that you could never make it without love

Am

For your goddamn self, and that you never ever find it in anybody else

F

Cuz I would help you find you

G

And if I saw it killing you I swear I would revive you

Am

And if that meant the end of me

Am

Iâ€™d do it all for you so you could have your happy end in peace

[Bridge]

Am

G

Because, you are such a special thing

F

Youâ€™re not just my mom, but youâ€™re the reason I exist

Dm

C

And the best life that you couldâ€™ve had for yourself without making a mistake

G

Would have meant I woulda had a nicer childhood

Am

And even though my childhood wasnâ€™t perfect and I still love you

Am

I just want you to know that if I could go back and do one thing for you

Am

Or be one person for you

G

I would make sure, not just for my sake, but so that you could've had a nicer life

F

And a nicer childhood, that you know

Dm

C

You would not have made the mistakes that put us all in this bad situation

G

And not have the strength to leave

G

But just so that you would have been happier and stronger

Am

Even if I didn't exist, even it meant that I was never born

Am

That's what I would have wanted for you

[Outro]

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And that I could hide you from the rain

Am

So that it could be easier for happiness to find you

Am

G

Or maybe Iâ€™m still a kid whoâ€™s caught in a dream

F

Dm

Iâ€™m the heir to the throne of a princess whoâ€™s still trying to be queen

C

Or maybe weâ€™re all just caught in the winds of a massacre

G

Am

The blackened leaves of dying, black dahlias