I've Been Delivered The Wallflowers

E, B, A, E A, B, A, E

E B

I could break free from the

Α

Wood of a coffin

E

If I need

Α

But nothin s hard as

В

Gettin free from places

A 1

I ve already been

Е

I ve been waste-deep

B A

In the burnin meadows

E

Of my mind

Α

In the engine

В

In cold December

A

Shootin fire from the hose

E G#m

Now turn off your lights

C#m

Cause I m not comin home

A B A E

Til I m delivered for the first time

E F

I was first-born to a parade

A 1

That follows in rows

Down a narrow cold black river

Α

Faceless shadows

Ε

Movin slow

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Е
I would move swift when
The sounds of a trumpet would blow
I ve been the puppet
I ve been the strings
I know the vacant face it brings
Now the bells of curfew
         C#m
They may ring before I {\tt m} through
But soon
                                      Е
I ll be delivered for the first time
Ε
You might keep clean
In the back of an angel motorcade
It doesn t matter who walks in
You know, the joke is still the same
You ll just wake up
В
Like a disposable lover
Decomposed
I ve been gone
I ve been remembered
I ve been alive
I ve been the ghost
So now, if downtown explodes
I ll still be on this road
Til I m delivered for the first time
I have drawn blood
       В
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From the neckline
When vampires were in fashion
You know I d even learn
To cut my throat
If I thought I could fit in
Cause I, I once heard
That you gotta learn
How to blend in to this mess
Where nothin s hard
     В
Nothin s precious
And nothin s smooth or flawless
            G#m
Now, no more amused
 C#m E A
Just screaming to be delivered
          A E
For the first time
Now I m 10 miles in the deep
And mighty blue sea
                      В
Looking back, towards a long white beach
Burnin up into yellow flames
And I just wave back
Like a little boy up on a pony
In a show
Cause I can t fix
Something this complex
Any more than I can build a rose
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G#m

Е

So just keep on letting go Cause I must be close To being delivered for the first time Е Now I d rather bleed out A long stream from being lonely And feel blessed Well than drown, laying face down In a puddle of respect I was once lost In the corridors of the arena E In blindfolds I ve been the bull I ve been the whip I just pulled down the matador So now, turn on your lights C#m Cause I m comin home I ve been delivered for the first time E, B, A, E A, B, A, E