

# Alesana, Curse Of The Virgin Canvas

I am here to tell you a story  
A story that will torture your thoughts by day  
And poison your dreams by night  
And though I will do my best,  
There are no words that can be written  
Nor brush strokes laid on canvas  
That can describe this stark  
And utter horror of the night that Annabel died  
The emptiness will haunt you  
This is a nightmare, is my Annabel really gone?  
My eyes are stung by daylight, I find it hard to breathe  
Her body teases me as the sun reveals the dawn  
The smell of blood still crawls, I kiss you softly goodbye  
Baby, lay in my arms and cuddle me close  
Soon this will be just an awful memory...  
Will I ever be able to sleep again?  
My angel lie to me and tell me I'm dreaming (please wake me up, please wake me)  
A girl like you will always be such a tragic part of me (oh ecstasy you torture me)  
I watch the blood drip from the corners of your mouth  
Your icy flesh is lying, your pallid skin still glows  
I'm starting to believe what my eyes are seeing now  
You're still so beautiful and yet so morbidly still  
Baby, lay in my arms and cuddle me close  
Soon this will be just an awful memory...  
Will I ever be able to sleep again?  
My angel lie to me and tell me I'm dreaming (please wake me up, please wake me)  
A girl like you will always be such a tragic part of me (oh ecstasy you torture me)  
Sweet revenge...  
He will pay, he will pay my dear  
Empty eyes accuse a face so evil I'm coming undone  
The mirror says it all, a crimson story of innocence lost  
Empty eyes accuse a face so evil, I'm coming undone  
What have I done to her?  
So terribly memory returns of her struggle, of her screams, of her  
Lord forgive me!  
My stomach heaves as I see the blood that covers me  
Blood that was once hers  
I'm a monster!  
Such an awful memory...  
Will I ever be able to sleep again?  
My angel lie to me and tell me I'm dreaming (please wake me up, please wake me)  
A girl like you will always be such a tragic part of me (oh ecstasy you torture me)  
A mirror never lies  
They know  
Everybody knows  
Do you not see what they see?  
A mirror never lies  
I see what they see  
Everybody knows  
Everybody knows