## Cauterize, Still Breathing

Tear me open at the seams Take everything you need

Take my heart if you like the beat

Take my lungs if it's hard to breathe, to breathe

"I'm not cold", she said

But she's shaking as she's lying next to me naked

Pulled the hair back from her face to let that smile heat this place

And this feels so far from real, I'm lost and I love it

I can't take it, if you're waiting

I am ready to tell the world about a girl

Who showed me love again for the first time

And it's everything I dreamed of

Tell me what you thought about

When you were breathing, oh, so loud

Screaming, oh, so loud, tell me if this is real

I need to know before I get too close

So here we lie in this beautiful mess

Of tangled sheets and beads of sweat

With my heart in your hand and my neck in the other

Should I be scared or should I come closer?

But it's still beating and I'm still breathing

You haven't hurt me yet

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Morning always comes too quick

When you're around, when you're around

You leave me lying here so they don't find us out

They'll find us out

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