

Emiliana Torrini, Lay Down

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Let your white birds smile up
At the ones who stand and frown

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We bled inside, each other's wounds
We all had caught, the same disease
We all sang, the songs of peace

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So raise the candles high
'Cause if you don't we could stay black against the night

Oh, raise them higher again
And if you do we could stay dry against the rain

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