

# Michelle Shocked, Fever Breaks

Try and forget it and yet it keeps you awake  
Live to regret it when the fever breaks  
Lighting up a cigarette even the slow hand shakes  
But it's a cold sweat when the fever breaks

If there is no light, if there's no end in sight  
Well then this just might not be a tunnel  
If it were up to me, I would not make that mistake  
But histories repeat and then the fever breaks

I know what it's like to feel fear  
There has been so much confusion  
The point is never clear, but I will make it without illusion  
Call it an intrusion, if you will, if that's what it takes  
But it's the Sound of Mind as the fever breaks

It's all parlor talk at the dead man's wake  
Bring out the winding sheets as the fever breaks

A slow and painful death ends faster than the eye can see  
Taking your last breath feels like Eternity  
Catching a cool breeze across a late summer lake  
Feel the chill of autumn as the fever breaks