

# Shadow Gallery, First Light

From the first gray light of the morning I've been gone  
On my journey towards the stars  
Will I know when I reach the other side  
The earth so blue it's like I'm dreaming  
Now I'm on my way  
Tainted shadows fall like rain  
Through the dark vast weight only silence lingers on  
The origin of existence lies somewhere far far beyond  
I feel unattached tranquility  
A hand from the heavens guiding me  
And wondering where this path will lead  
In a dream I'm lost and  
Floating through the atmosphere  
Searchig for significance against  
Infinity eternity  
I've been taken by the vast and  
Humbled by the weight of what I've seen  
You know they called for heros  
Cause heros carry on  
In know the world is fading  
So from the first gray light of the morning I've been gone  
Now I pray for a better life  
For all the ones I love  
We search beyond our reach  
And turn our gaze above  
I hope that it's the way  
To fill our basic needs  
And my sacrifice not vain  
And I'll return again  
The sands will filter through the timeless hourglass  
As I pass beyond the god of war  
Distant voices hear them crying out  
I must seek out new worlds and explore  
And I know that there just must be a place  
We will carry on  
Where our children can be free from the pain  
The human race  
It must be somewhere out in space  
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It Must be somewhere out in space  
Silver moonbeams relect the sun  
Martian Landscapes worlds beyond  
I touch down with no trace  
No sign of life on this place  
Now I feel a surge of energy  
The deepest passion burns in me  
Somewhere there is a world not left  
To die  
The stars will shine their light down unto me  
Illuminating  
The stars will shine their light and I will see  
Will I find my way?  
So back to the darkness I fly  
In search of a hope in the sky  
I should have known right from the start  
I'll not return home  
It seems so surreal as I go  
The knowlesdge of science alone  
Can't save all the people I know  
That I've left behind

The sun I know is growing smaller  
I drift for days on endless hours  
And what's there to fear now!  
No messages are getting through  
I fall into the black abyss of night  
I'm gone  
The pioneering spirit charges the unknown  
Accept the consequence of risk  
I'm all alone here  
Don't know if I'll return and  
The fate of life is on my heart  
I left a dying world behind  
On my way oh  
Where's our oasis in the sky  
The future of our race  
I left a poisoned world behind  
Now I see there's no  
Heaven bound oasis in the sky  
Only dreams  
I've got no destination  
Helpless I drift on  
The weight of silence how it's eating at my soul  
And yet I sense a stirring  
Something so spiritual  
I wonder if the fate of mankind  
Is in the hands of a higher power calling to us all  
I left a dying world behind  
On my way only  
God can stop the spiral down to hell  
The future of our race  
I left a poisoned world behind  
Now I see only  
Heaven's the oasis in the sky  
It's my dream