

# Staind, The Truth

It's three AM  
It's cold outside  
And you can't sleep.  
Is it from your conscience talking  
To the skeletons you keep?  
Every time you try to speak  
Only craziness comes out.  
She can't turn the other cheek,  
You can't help how it comes out.

So when did you decide  
To embrace what you hate to survive?  
'Cause that's not what got us through.

It's eight AM  
And still no sleep  
But you don't care.  
I don't know why I keep on calling  
Doesn't get us anywhere.  
'Cause every time I try to speak  
You never let my words come out.  
I can't turn the other cheek  
And I can't help how this comes out.

So when did you decide  
To embrace what you hate to survive?  
'Cause that's not what got us here.  
Honestly  
I can't know how you could see  
Something you once saw in me.  
Just another volunteer...

To wonder if you ever lie awake in bed  
And think about the things you've said.  
Your dedication shows  
But you can't see, your eyes are closed.

And all the promises you made to me  
They seem to fade and leave me with this disappointment  
That these words can never show

When your ride is over  
And you're hangin' by a thread.  
As your house of cards is falling  
Just remember what I said

So when did you decide  
To embrace what you hate to survive?  
'Cause that's not what got us here.  
And honestly  
I can't know how you could see  
Something you once saw in me.  
Just another volunteer, for you to bleed.