

# Abdullah, Awakening The Colossus

All of the longing  
Condensed in this place and time  
I invoke you, O spirits, crawl inside  
Then awaken my conscience  
Lain dormant for all this time  
And feed the despair that pervades my life, yeah

In the hold of a nightmare  
I see truth in their words and lies  
And beauty appears in sorrow's guise  
So caught in the moment  
We ignore the passing of time  
And mistake the empty for the sublime, yeah

Oh, my savior  
Give value to these misdeeds  
In sin you bathe me  
Holy  
So I say that the father lies  
And my dreams will betray me tonight

Obey the scourge of night  
May darkness bring sight  
I welcome your grace  
Upon this night

All of the longing  
And thoughts scribed in soothing fire  
The ashes and smoke breed my desire  
Abject and misshapen  
To you I give all that I'm worth  
My swarthy children of the earth, yeah

Oh, can these words be given shape  
Oh, does the fool acknowledge fate  
I've awoken the monster  
The one that exists in my mind  
In fear I behold the apparent divine  
It grants me one vision  
The mother in death giving birth  
To the swarthy children of the earth, yeah

Oh, our savior  
Pour deep within me  
In blackness forsake me  
Holy

So I say that the father lies  
And my dreams will betray me tonight, yeah

Breathe slightly  
Sleep soundly  
All through this night  
Breathe slightly  
Sleep soundly  
All through this night

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To try to resist the Ancient One's call  
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