

# Hozier, Unknown Nth

You know the distance never made  
a difference to me  
I swam a lake of fire, I'd have walked  
across the floor of any sea,  
Ignored the vastness between  
all that can be seen  
And all that we believe  
So I thought you were like an angel to me

Funny how true colours shine in darkness  
and in secrecy,  
If there were scarlet flags  
They washed out in the mind of me  
Where a blinding light shone on you every night  
And either side of my sleep  
Where you were held frozen like an angel to me

It ain't the being alone  
(Sha la la)  
It ain't the empty home, baby  
(Sha la la)  
You know I'm good on my own  
(Sha la la)  
Sha la la, baby  
You know, it's more the being unknown  
So much of the living, love  
Is the being unknown

You called me angel for the first time,  
my heart leapt from me  
You smile now,  
I can see its pieces still stuck in your teeth  
And what's left of it I listen to it tick,  
Every tedious beat going unknown  
As any angel to me

Do you know, I could break beneath the weight  
Of the goodness love I still carry for you  
That I'd walk so far just to take  
The injury of finally knowing you

And it ain't the being alone  
(Sha la la)  
It ain't the empty home baby  
(Sha la la)  
You know I'm good on my own  
(Sha la la)  
Sha la la baby,  
You know it's more the being unknown  
And there are some people, love  
Who are better unknown