

# Sarah McLachlan, Black

As the walls are closing in  
And the colors fade to black  
And my eyes are falling fast and deep into me  
And I follow the tracks that lead me down  
And I never follow what's right  
And they wonder sometimes when they see all the  
Sadness and pain that truth brings to light

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And my eyes are falling fast and deep into the sea  
(Above line written as "and the night is falling" in album jacket)  
And in darkness all that I can see  
The frightened and the weak  
Are forced to cling to mistakes they know nothing of  
At mercy are the meak

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