



chromatique – official lyrics  
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// exit

// the time is now

sun calling out, my eyes red as they burn. her light fills the sky, and i'm buried in stone.  
my time is now, can I rise from my room? i'm going out and i'm walking alone.  
i know i want and i know what i want. draw me in two and i'm nothing (i know).  
painted in white, inside, down to the bone. i'm going out, and i'm walking alone.

i'm just a boy inside

// who i am

can i see you smile? can i see you try? you're going to make it through.  
but I can stay awhile.  
from high above i stand on watch. i wish you well. i know it's hard.  
and you will see who i am.

// the sound, the touch

i see her there in the waterfall glisten blue underneath the stars.  
i've thrown my heart up against the wall and now i don't have much. still, i want it all.  
your sound and your touch as you swim in me are all i want and all i need.  
i give me to you and i want to be yours alone and you're all for me.

// yours in mine

one day you'll open your eyes to this: a dance we'd share a strawberry kiss.  
hand over heart we can watch it live - this dream we hold (this hopeful wish).

and then we'll find there's magic all around.  
everywhere there's love there's magic all around

one day i'll see your face in stars. my fingers trace the lines and there you are.  
i call your name and you're never too far to light and shine my darkest hours.  
in the fields we watch the clouds go by. angels underneath the passing sky.  
hands together and it's yours in mine. we will live until the end of time.

// only you (inside you, part 1)

i'd pull the mountain and skies through to you. share a kiss when you're tired,  
it would carry you  
in the dark sits a fire and it burns to you. on a pillow my eyes  
move with you.

and we dance in our home, i'm inside of you. as the rain coming down,  
and it echoes through  
all in silence now, there is only you. deep inside my heart,  
there is only you

**// not enough (inside you, part 2)**

you stab a hole in my heart and it carries through. did you know from the start,  
was it always true?  
with the blood in my veins, as i break in two, do you share in my pain?  
has it damaged you?

“i’m sorry,” i say. but it’s not enough. “can we try again? can we make this love?”  
“i’m a better man, i can rise above. i see the better life that you’re dreaming of.”

**// the ground shakes and we are born anew**

**// through the line**

here i’m out on the street, walking through the line.  
broken flowers and trees, empty strands of time,  
can i try again to keep you here with me?  
if i cared again, could it ever be?

as i close my eyes, a shallow moon’s on me.  
all alone this time, to wallow in my dreams.  
now i wish you here, your warm heart draped on me.  
if i wait my time, would you come to me?

come inside please! i can make it right. give it back to me, give me one more try.  
i’ve been out before but now i see you here. let me try once more to bring you back to me.

**// behind your eyes**

an angel beneath you, together you flew. the isolation amongst us – i’ve never felt so tired.  
in all that i’ve traveled what sadness i’ve tried.  
i never had what you wanted hiding behind your eyes.

sleep, oh brother! sleep tonight!

i would like to bring you back, but i can never let you back.  
your shadows stand there in your path, but i can never let you back.

sleep, oh brother! sleep tonight!

**// enter**

here i am, saved again. all i’ve lost on the way.  
and rain still falls on my shoulders. and rain still falls as i’m older.  
i’ll try again on my own, but here i am heart in stone.  
and rain still falls on my shoulders. and rain still falls as i’m older.

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