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#### Follow me

Come with me, I can guarantee I will take you to places no one has seen Soak in the ink, let me be your pied piper! Together we can visit our deepest desire Let me paint the window for us to peer through We can watch worlds die and be reborn anew Do you want to be a killer, or an epic super hero? Let me dip my quill and provide that for you We can go to places only achievable in dreams We can fly through the galaxy riding cosmic beams I want to be the key to your imagination And I also want to be the transportation, that delivers you to the destination So please follow me, right this way Let's invent a random glorious place So magnificent we will forget what's real Like spending eternity in a poppy field Life is hard, let's take the edge off So the sword life hits us with is foam and soft And we can tackle real problems with a clear head Then come home and visit our magic again By LukeCoomer ©

# **Dead Poets**

To be or not to be, like all who came before me The road they took to glory, well that just isn't my story Do you think every song you adore is a remake of another that came before? Or every good story's lore is a copy that just added more? The keys are willpower and innovation, put in, make something It's in your head just waiting, create something where there once was nothing I come original and I own it, I'm not one to steal from dead poets You can put that on my tombstone how I wrote it, put it in print, you can quote it The world is not in need of more of the same, my kind of wild will not be tamed This is not a quest for glory and fame, but I can promise you this you'll remember my name By always learning more and more, by walking on when feet are sore I see your no entry sign, I will be sneaking in the back door After you've heard me and know it, and you will know it I will have earned my pen and ink and I will become just another dead poet By LukeCoomer ©

# Melancholy Kingdom

Melancholy Kingdom All hail, the Melancholy King, lord of loneliness and suffering The plants have died along the pathways Dark briars and thorns make up the garden maze Freezing rain pours in through the rooftops of run down homes Termites infest the wood, even the throne The soldiers have no will to fight They sit stoking coals that won't ignite The vaults are empty, the cupboards bare The moat is frozen over, the drawbridge is in disrepair The sun no longer shines on this place The nights are dark, but so are the days By LukeCoomer ©

# The Oath

The Oath You've been my right hand My brother through thick and thin I constantly choke on the words I wish to say to you You've been a guiding light to see me through I have a debt to pay, against my pride I will always be here to fight at your side I'll walk next to you and guide you when you are blind When bravery falters, I'll reinforce your spine Help you through your confusion Swipe my blade through any illusion We will not fail, our bond is unbreakable The hell we fought through together, we are invincible The millions of tears we've shed and the gallons of blood we've bled I'll fight to the death at your side my brother We will be overtaken by no other You were my best friend when it started and here at the end My ride or die partner in this life Through all the storms and rocky waters, by truest friend By LukeCoomer ©

# Clown

I wonder where I went wrong in life, or if I even ever had a chance I wonder if I could have done it right, Did I miss by a mere glance? Pondering if things could have been what I always hoped they would be Or if what I've done and will do, has already been chosen for me I'm in pain deep on the inside the question is, am I supposed to be? Because the path I been walking is pushing the light way down inside of me! I'm desperately looking for answers that no one seems to know And everyones conclusion leads Somewhere I don't want to go! I don't know if I've already failed or if I'm hanging by a thred I'm not confident that the path I walk, is the one I should have tread I'm desperately looking for aces and kings! In these cards I hold in my hands Lucky for me I keep getting jokers And can play them on demand But sad to say a clowns smile is simply paint that washes away To reveal the hurt deep inside, that seems to want to stay I want to stop playing a part, like an actor on the screen When all I want is to be happy and that is but a dream So here I paint a smile on, yet again I grin and bear it And continue to hope the pain I feel, does not proceed to break my spirit By LukeCoomer ©

# **Inaliable Write**

I insist that you listen! The wise people of this great nation Do not hold your tongue! or let your voice be taken! The only real change that can be made Is by exercising your free speech and having something to say Wrong or right there is only one way to find out By voicing your opinions and working it out Violence is the unfortunate alternative! And we are civilized, no longer primitive I don't agree with everything I hear But defend to the death the right to say it! And the only way to move forward is having the nerve to debate it I am warning against a world where your rights are taken away! All our words will rot away and decay You can't force people to think like you do And right now we have the right!, not to believe you They say they are different and have the right to exist But that doesn't mean we should be left in the mist Everyone one should be exactly who they are! This is an issue we should be fighting for! All are different individuals Doesn't matter race, creed or religion This can't be the world we made to live in! I am not bothered by your unique personality I am irate that you try to push it on me! You fight to be heard but try to drown me out The more you speak over me, the more I will shout! My passion lies in the realm of words I've fought my whole life with being unheard And now at the apex of my life You try to censor my creativity to write! You've forced my hand!, now pick up my pen to fight

For freedom of speech my Inalienable Write By LukeCoomer ©

# Wanda & Judy

Wanda & Judy We used to look deeply into each others eyes Now we're afraid to look, because we both know we're telling lies Once upon a time, I couldn't wait to get home And talk to you for hours, even over the telephone But we don't even talk anymore I get home from work and your on your way to the store But I know that's an illusion Shopping for your family just ain't what your doing Call me up, say you don't want me to worry And you can't talk long because your in a hurry That you met up with Wanda and Judy Going for drinks but that you'll be home early But you never are, are you! Home just before I have to leave for work And then we argue, you argue! I play dumb, but who dolls up and goes to the grocery store in a mini skirt You lie to me about what your really doing again and again And I lie to you, because I go on and pretend That what your doing to me isn't breaking my soul Worried about my children growing up in a broken home Hoping I don't get to the point I put a gun to my head and unload We used to look deeply into each others eyes Now we're afraid to look, because we both know we're telling lies By LukeCoomer ©

# A Girl

The death, they never see it coming Always left in shock and awe I'm sure it has a lasting effect When the killer wears the face of your pa No, you never see a Girl coming She could be killing in the next stall And every name that's on her list Is a person who is sure to fall Now the Needle is not alone It is accompanied by the Valyrian Catspaw And when the bodies start to pile up You know a Girl will be standing over them all They mistakenly didn't kill a Girl, they assumed she was no one They underestimate a faceless Girl Because she is so small But inside a Girl a wolf runs As hard and cold as the Wall In the ashes of Westeros, when all is said and done A Girl will be soaked in blood Because she will survive them all So if you meet a Girl, pray your name stays off her list Because a Girl is a weapon, she cast out all her flaws Like Nymeria she's a direwolf And you won't escape her claws By LukeCoomer ©

# Like Eric & Shelly

It's raining on my grave And it's raining in my heart I've been dead for a whole year And it's not even the worse part She is buried next to me But I woke and she had not I don't want to live without her! The only thing I can think about, is her! and the night we were shot! A crow sits on my tombstone I think it wants me to follow it So I get up and re teach myself to walk Then it leads me to a very familiar piece of shit! There is a guy in an alley Sticking up another poor young couple The same guy in fact The one who caused me all my trouble I say lessons never learned old friend! He turns and says (no!, you're a ghost! I killed you last year! At your funeral I gave a toast!?!) Yet here I am! He shoots me again And I laughed in his face as the bullet did nothing I walked towards him He pops off another round I pretend that it worked And I fall to the ground He came to see if I was dead Then searched through my pockets Then I dug my thumb nails Deep into his eye sockets! I told him as he struggled It's not so bad you killed me

But her why her? In the middle of his screams He said fuck you!....and her! I got up and grabbed his gun Out of a puddle of mud There was a loud bang And a sudden thud The crow took me back Back to my resting place But I wasn't ready I wanted to see her face So with my bare hands I dug till I reached her And went back to sleep In her coffin, next to her By LukeCoomer ©

# Old Man

## Old Man

We have butted our heads more times than a few But that doesn't mean that I don't miss, or didn't love you I know you wanted me to be a good man And at this point that's exactly what I am You raised me like a son, and I love you like a father As time goes on, that feeling gets stronger I wish I had more time to prove myself to you I put a little bit of you into everything I do I hope you knew it all along I hope you knew it when you passed on But if not Old Man, I'm telling you now And hope when you look down on me it makes you proud Or up from hell just in case You could be an angel in either place By LukeCoomer ©

# Lucky

## Lucky

It's the Wyshmasta, weaving my magic out the end of a pen With all my might, I couldn't wait to see you again I'm high on your energy, you inspire me To want to do great things and make you proud of me You see these words but I hear the music It's a great gift, I promise not to abuse it I just want to paint these songs for you So the melody I hear, you can feel it too I was hopelessly lost and couldn't find my way But I was found when you wanted to hear what I had to say I'm a very lucky person, don't think I don't know it And all I want in return is to be your favorite poet By LukeCoomer ©

# Vigilante

## Vigilante

I stand alone in the dark and let the rain fall upon my face A black eye and a busted lip; In my mouth, a bitter copper taste My heart weighs heavy with concern for my fellow man But it matters not how much I fight for them, they make no attempt to understand It changes nothing, I only fight harder So when you're looking the other way, someone is still watching your son or daughter When you're not standing up for what's right, I am the someone who will And you'll sleep safe in your beds because I'm the one they will come to kill This is a fool's errand, I know, but I do this for you Not because you deserve it; I do it because someone has to When a robber snatches your purse, I will run them down and get it back When a psycho grabs your child, I'm the one who gives their skull a crack When corrupt business and governments overstep, I will lend my voice And when I am lynched for it you will know it was my choice They say there are no good men left or that we never really existed Because every time someone needed a hero, only half-wits enlisted So I gladly scrape and bloody my knuckles, armed with only a knife Eye for an eye, life for a life Evil prevails when good men fail to act, but I remain vigilant And when evil shows its ugly face, I will be there without incident By LukeCoomer ©

# Eternally

Things have changed that's for sure I'm afraid I've died and there is no cure Though my heart doesn't pump, it still beats your name So for your love, I've returned from my grave To be your boy or we can add friend to the end But I can also just be your friend forever instead I don't want to live or die Unless it's holding your hand, by your side I know I'll get old, and start to stink But you've told me that before I think But here I will pull my heart out for you, do what you must Just let me love you until I turn to dust By LukeCoomer ©

# **Violent Delights**

Violent Delights These violent delights have violent ends There's no need to try and pretend Live by the sword and die by it too That's the virtue of a catch twenty two I'm just saying, you get what you put in A path of violence will lead you to ruin I'm not saying there is never a need to fight But you will die violently if violence is the main goal in your life Pick your battles and defense over offense It takes just a little bit of common sense You don't have to be a martyr to be a hero You don't have to kill yourself to achieve your goal Unless suicide is your unfortunate mission If that's the case, I think there is a point that you're missing By LukeCoomer ©

# **Burning Bridges**

All my bridges burning down burning down, burning down all my bridges burning down they don't trust me Ashes float down to the ground to the ground, to the ground ashes float down to the ground i must be crazy Silence is the only sound only sound, only sound silence is the only sound they won't forget me Because I lit a match and burned the town burned the town, burned the town and now they hate me By LukeCoomer ©

# Brainwashed

#### Brainwashed

I must be loosing my mind Rotted away by music and tv I thought I was doing just fine I'm afraid they've gone and brainwashed me My life has been like a tv show I hear the crowds laughter when I crack a joke Maybe I should embrace this magic Because when I close my eyes all I see is static When I see her she moves in slow motion Like I'm intoxicated by a love potion If this is not real what's the harm? If I follow her home and put on the charm Of course she likes me, I'm the main protagonist With out me the show would not exist! But she doesn't seem to know her lines Why is she acting like she's not mine? Since this is only a show I'll spice it up a bit I choked her till she couldn't resist We lay there together all night under the censorship bars Starring up into the stars The next morning I woke to the tv in my cell on the ant race Back in the institution a television made basket case By LukeCoomer ©

# **Campfire Legends**

**Campfire Legends** I grabbed the bull by its horns Jumped straight in with both feet running I weathered the storm I didn't stand idly by, I went out and did something I grabbed the tail of a comet Leaped head first into whatever's out there Saddled a tornado like nothing can stop it I jumped down, only touched the first and last stair I climbed to the mountain's peak I dove in and swam with the sharks Got knocked down and got back on my feet I fell in love, threw a couple of stitches on my broken heart Every statement I make might not be literal But in my mind and heart, it's exactly what I've done This world is visceral But you can find me out here, having fun and getting work done I'm an elemental force of nature If you don't believe in me, I'm not worried; you will in time In my world I do control my destiny, I'm my own maker And I think I'm doing just fine After I'm long gone and dead And even if only through my brethren I plan to live on forever By the songs they sing of me through campfire legends By LukeCoomer ©

# Mr. Boney Man

Mr. Boney Man The reaper happened upon a young girl She seemed to be lost, distracted from her place in the world She saw him too and walked his way Thinking he a friend to play The reaper said, young girl with the braids, Why is it you're not afraid? Before he knew, she grabbed his hand She said, afraid of what, Mr. Boney Man? He said, am I not a creature from your fears Why does the sight of me not bring you tears? She said I'm not afraid because I use my 'magination I needed a better situation The reaper scratched his boney head, just as puzzled as ever He said, I have a feeling you're pretty clever But young girl, I don't understand She said, my father is a real bad man And my mother, she pays no attention And I created you because I needed a friend Please, Mr. Boney Man, you just have to understand The reaper tightened his grip and sat down at the girls toy table with a squeeze He said, young girl, could you please pour me some tea She smiled widely and politely said, absolutely By LukeCoomer ©

# Carry On

Carry On

Every dark and stormy path

All the weathered winding roads

I will always have your back

You will never walk alone

Each monster that we face

Every ghost sprung from its grave

I will stand at your side

They will not forget our name

When demons take familiar shapes

When angels fall out of the sky

You will not be there alone

Even when the end is nigh

If you are killed in our quest

I will go to the other side and bring you back

Our bond is impenetrable

No matter how the darkness attack

If the hounds of hell come for your soul

Because you made a deal at the crossroad

I will help you get it back

Doesn't matter the price or toll

I am my brothers keeper

I will help you carry on

We are wayward sons

As hard as the day is long

Together we will always be

Defying death and destiny

Side by side till the world is safe

From vampires or lycanthropy

Demons, wraiths or the devil himself

Gods and legends fall before us

Any shade or zombie horde

Even a beautiful succubus

- I am by your side Any and all of the epic hassle I will help you fight Against life and the supernatural We will carry on I will have it no other way I will not put off for tomorrow What is not guaranteed today
- By LukeCoomer ©

# Sheltered

#### Sheltered

If I had to live in a fallout shelter I'm glad it got to be with you Even though the air outside is toxic And we are rapidly running out of food Even with the water tainted And mutated rats chewing through the barricades I've already looked deep into your eyes And lost my will to track the days The days are too hot even inside the shelter The nights are too cold even under all of our blankets The truth is becoming a reality I don't think it possible that we might make it But I would rather die inside with you Than try to live out there without your voice I've made us a special drink I think it's time we make a choice Hell is the earth, so heaven must be a place We should discover it together Walk side by side into the end Me and you together forever We both stare into each other eyes On our lips the familiar taste of one another Then we drink the blissful poison And hold on tight to each other By LukeCoomer ©

# Colors

The way you see the world

## Colors

It's not my point of view I peer through distorted lenses A dysphoric version of your vibrant hue Color and I have not been on the best of terms Seeing red where should be green Often causing me while playing games To attack members of my own team I hear there are many shades of purple and blue But to me they live in solidarity I'm wanting to see the beauty My rainbow is lacking clarity White words on a yellow background It's like a shell sitting on the ocean floor I can't see it even a little bit What do I keep trying for So colors and I don't get along That just means I paint with a different palette You can use your brush and canvas I guess I will just use a mallet By LukeCoomer ©

# The Arena

The Arena

The blood, it drips from my fist Knuckles raw from constant conflict My face splattered pink and red From walking through the crimson mist Fighting everything from gladiators to lions Will torn to shreds from continuous trying I will never give up my life But if I said I hadn't thought about it I would be lying Seems like every possible enemy Is entered into the arena with me My faithful weapon still in my hand Because the opposition rings with infinity Round after round the crowd cheers for more My wrists are sprained and my ligaments tore I can't seem to stay on my feet Blood in my eyes from all the gore I know there is not a way to survive A restless warrior in the arena of life Doesn't mean I have to lay down and take it I will fight this battle until I die I will battle on like the ones who fell before I will fight what's next when the crowd wants more I will die, But not today! I've only just begun this war LukeCoomer ©

# The Map

The Map Do you ever think your doing good Becoming the things you've set out to be Then a few short words open your eyes Then smacks you back to reality I do this thing sometimes I get content and think things are better than they are It clouds my judgment very well It seems I would learn from these scars I build my self up! Doing what I need to Not noticing where I fell short Or if anyone but me can see what it is I have done Because it doesn't end up in the report I get lost inside my head My real problems take a backseat They get lost in the confusion And when I'm reminded I feel the defeat Everyone who reads my lines They know what I want to be But the path that takes me there Is dark and out of the way, hidden in secrecy I wish I could reign everything in Control is a tricky creature I am tired of all the chaos I want to be the main feature I don't want to live day to day Hoping I stumble into the right path I want to have figured out the problems And be the guy who drew the map LukeCoomer ©

# **Under The Bridge**

I'm from the land of the lakes Where there's 3 real to every 10 fakes Make no mistakes Those diamonds in the rough They're worth the work even though it's tough Believe I played it like Pokémon silver and gold I found every real one before I left home I'm from that murder mitten Just listen I'd do it again if it was ever my decision The place legends have fallen and risen Like Detroit city's motor division Where we rep tigers and lions I'm not lying Even though they never win, we strive on tryin If we don't succeed we don't quit We do it again and again til we eventually win I may be in Ohio but my heart's up under the bridge Where my true homies work, fight and live It's ok, I can forgive But no matter where I am or what I become Coldwater, Michigan is where I'm from And it's where I'll return when this world strikes me down Up there in the cemetery in good ol C-town I left on a seemingly permanent vacation But my soul is still in Michigan and still on probation LukeCoomer ©

# Transference

Transference I might be about to give it all up The fight has been long and the road has been rough I'm not the unique poet I thought myself to be It seems the world will be just fine with forgetting me I know I am often one to stand against a struggle But how can this clown put on a show when I can't even juggle I'm getting sick and tired of sharing these creative words When day after day they go unheard This use to me my painkiller, the bottom of my bottle But it's starting to feel like a bus full of children going off a cliff full throttle I don't know why I ever felt I needed the worlds approval But I can clearly see all my attempts have been futile I can't give up my creative energy Because that is a ghost that likes to haunt me But I don't need to let everyone inside my mind It turns out in reality most can't spare the time So the answer in reality is painting its self clear That when people decide they are ready for me, I won't be here! LukeCoomer ©

# **Steak Knife**

How do you impose to suppose how people free their minds For real my dude, what crawled up your ass and died? You're saying a picture doesn't help a write, and it's true But who are you to insist they stop just for you? Art takes many forms, it's a beautiful shapeshifter As a fellow poet, you should be a soul searching uplifter Instead you decide to put them down When it comes to asshats, you get the shit crown There is a difference between criticism and trolling And right now you're the only one LOLing I'm not saying you don't have the right to your opinion But what people do with their own art is their decision Freedom of expression is art's definition It's not a cult or some fucked up religion It seems that I'm angry, and it's true; I am I just don't like it when my thread is filled with spam Where closeminded people tell free thinkers how to act Poetry and pictures are both art, it's a fact So sit the fuck down and get on with your life I don't want to ruin another steak knife LukeCoomer ©

## Hereditary

Hereditary I remember when I was just a boy I'd lay awake at night thinking about dying It was scary I didn't want to I couldn't clear my head, I'd fall asleep trying I'd tell god and Jesus that I loved them Over and over in my head And hoped each morning I'd be alive Another day I wasn't dead I always thought that I was strange Did people really do this? It was all to baffling I was very young and felt clueless But it must not be as weird as I thought It seems hereditary Because my son just called me in his room And he said these things to me By LukeCoomer ©

## **The Medicated Millions**

The Medicated Millions It's becoming very obvious That there is something wrong with me Something that makes me different And it's not my creativity Something in my brain is broken And I learned to live that way Because I never saw a doctor Out of fear of what they'd say But my son on the other hand He's been through it, a.d.h.d. And it seems to me the apple Never rolled far from the tree I can clearly see that his problems Well they are also mine And the struggles he faces Make me realize I'm not fine But I don't want to be one of them The medicated millions Plus I don't want to give money to the industry That makes money off of sick children Another soul depended on pills I have enough addictions in my life Just another of the many questions I can't seem to answer right Should I continue on my path Or consult a doctor over my mental health Should I keep doing things the hard way Or let somebody help I don't know what to do And there in my problem lies I just want to see through this fog With clear and open eyes

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## **Meet Your Heroes**

Meet Your Heroes I've been told to never meet my heroes That they will ultimately let you down But I talked face to face with one of mine last night And watched her front row from the crowd I could tell by the look on her face That she was honored to have me as her fan And I was honored in return When she reached out to shake my hand I bought a cassette for her to sign Because I was never gonna play it anyway I already own all her music And they are constantly on play I told her she was the reason I came And she smiled real big Before I walked away she leaned in And told me 9:30 was her gig I had to walk out and smoke a cig To my surprise I was starstruck and shaking Trying to post a pic and talk about what happened And it wasn't easy my fingers were vibrating She got on and rocked the crowd It was the best show I'd ever seen Hanging from the lights, exploring the crowd This amazing rapper queen Whitney Peyton I was obviously a fan before But I will keep trying to show the world who you are And the passion and the rhythm you have It's gonna take you very far I'm just glad I got to witness your greatness Before the rest of the world catches on Keep on writing that gold I'll be in the crowd cheering you on

By LukeCoomer ©

## A Depressing Poem

A Depressing Poem I lost my pencil and I need to use a pen I am starting to think it best not to act like other men Nice guys finish last, life's proven this to be true I grabbed my pad to ease my mind I don't know what else to do It seems that misery It follows me, wherever I may roam And yes my friend, yet again i've written a depressing poem I want a victory now more than I ever I try and it feels like never Down on my luck and everything sucks I try to gather up the will I have left to fight I think it best to give it a rest and call it an early night I try to sleep but torment stirs, my vision blurs and I'm haunted by hollow words In my slumber time I come to find It seems that misery It follows me, wherever I may roam And yes my friend, yet again I've written a depressing poem I try to cry and come to find The ability to ease my mind has crawled away and died I've given up, quit and wandered astray I can't find the words to say! I'm not telling you not to worry, you definitely should! If you actually care about me it seems like you would I've come to terms and except the fact that there is nothing good about me My light has burnt out and my path is dark and foggy Those I've fallen for, the ones who left me shook Become nothing more than a page in my book Before you try I can't be saved, I don't even want to be That's because I know Wherever I may roam, Misery will follow me

And I will write a depressing poem By LukeCoomer ©

## Eternally

Things have changed that's for sure I'm afraid I've died and there is no cure Though my heart doesn't pump, it still beats your name So for your love, I've returned from my grave To be your boy or we can add friend to the end But I can also just be your friend forever instead I don't want to live or die Unless it's holding your hand, by your side I know I'll get old, and start to stink But you've told me that before I think But here I will pull my heart out for you, do what you must Just let me love you until I turn into dust By LukeCoomer ©

## **Ghosts Of My Past**

I am my fathers son But he is not what I've become I've lived more life than he I only hope he's proud of me Every where I go My past, it follows like a ghost Every mistake I've ever made Another thread sewn into the bed I've made It's hard to reach the top When the demons pulling on my feet won't stop Echoing heartbroken voices Aching over my bad choices Almost feel like moving on Means that I don't care who I step on It hurts my ever loving soul The real pain I've cost people to know I'm tethered by heart strings And the memories of my awful deeds I can't just wash my hands of this Problems I tried to solve with closed fist I wish for redemption but fear I don't deserve such In the mirror is the man that deserves the punch How can I expect anyone to root for me When in my path I leave behind tragedy I've always had my heart in the right place But I've hurt so many and it leaves a sour taste LukeCoomer ©

## We\'re All Mad Here!

We're All Mad Here

Verse 1 She face the day to day pretending everything is fine But there's a raging storm going on inside her mind She tries to deal with this existence But joy and happiness Are just missin With scars like bracelets you can see the pain in her eyes She finds it torture to be alive Every breath she despise She sleeps the days away well into the night Because the sunlight hurts her eyes and makes her cry No one visits anymore She just lays on the floor Don't answer the door But what can you do When your own mind betray you She swallowed a bottle of quaaludes She didn't want to live anymore And as her tears stain the floor She slips away to where ever we go Free from pain and unchained from the sorrow (Chorus) Insanity is calling me Haunting me and taunting me Deliberately releasing me Segregating me, from society Making one thing truly clear We're all mad here Verse 2 He met a girl and she was nice to him She offered him a shoulder and a Vicodin

No number exchange just an act of good will But she didn't know he was struck in the feels He walked her home at night But something in his head ain't right Next morning she looked out the window in fright She beheld the sight The guy from last night She said no disrespect But I can't pretend This ain't creepy my friend He said I couldn't wait to see you again I love you he said Your all in my head And anything that comes between us is dead She said she had a boyfriend He said I'll be your boyfriend She said I mean I'm spoken for And this behavior he will not stand for He will die I love you more She got scared and ran away But was creeped out by that guy all day And when she came home and opened the door She found her boyfriend dead on the floor a note in blood and the wall it read I told you before anyone who comes between us is dead (Chorus) Insanity is calling me Haunting me and taunting me Deliberately releasing me Segregating me, from society Making one thing truly clear We're all mad here Verse 3 Let's get two things strait A razor and a jacket These two twisted tales

Are more than just tragic They are the voices in my head It's like my brain is a run down insane asylum Haunted by the dead I am legion Overrun by my demons Plotting and scheming And constantly screaming So many voices I don't know if I'm making my own choices I look in the mirror but it doesn't help me The faces I see they don't belong to me I'm sick why won't anyone help me My hands and my clothes are constantly bloody They are yelling at me And I don't know what they want from me Loosening control constantly It's not hard to say I need a lobotomy This whole life has been my worse fear Me and my voices are all mad here

Chorus)

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## **Passing Through**

Why does it all have to be so heavy? Why is it constantly dragging me down The ware and Tare so obvious when I look in the mirror Wrinkles from wearing to many a frown Hopes and dreams gone in a puff of smoke Phantom pains crawling my length Self inflicted scars bearing memories Haunting voices disturbing my sleep Sick and tired of being told that's life Neck hurts from hanging my head in defeat My eyes reveal my mileage through hell I feel the bones splinter in my feet Another wanderer lost in the storm Repeating the things that have broken my soul Been looking for happiness But never knew the way to go By LukeCoomer ©

## **Out Of My Hands**

Out Of My Hands I wonder if I could go back Would I be able to make you stay Would I be strong enough to hold you Is there anything a four year old boy could say Would my mother even believe me If I told her he wasn't coming back I wouldn't believe it If a toddler told me that A tantrum would just upset them both I couldn't have that on my soul Then he'd just be upset with me When he inevitably took to the road If I ever had the power To go back to that day I don't think there would be anything I could do But cry as he walked away I can promise I would try anything Even hurting myself in some way So they would have to stop what they were doing And take me to the hospital right away But if we were all together I think our whole family would make the front page And not a single one of us Would live to this day and age If I could turn back time I guess it could only be to see him again I'd tell him what I've grown up to be Although I'd know he'd never understand I'd hug him so hard And I'd never want to let go I know he'd return the love I'm sure he'd let his feelings show

I'm kinda glad I can't go back So that I can't ruin today It's hard, but I will see you again No matter what, I'd have to let you walk away LukeCoomer ©

## Goodboy

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He will be back any minute

- I love him so much
- He will be back later on
- I miss his warm touch
- Why is he not back
- Doesn't he love me anymore
- I have been a good boy
- I will just sit and watch the door
- He's not coming back
- I'm just so sad
- I love him so much
- I didn't mean to be bad
- He's never coming back
- I wish I didn't let him down
- I wish he'd come home and pet me
- In my sorrow I might drown
- •••••
- What's that I smell It's so familiar It can't be my mommy Just making dinner I'm wagging my tail What's that smell I want more What's that smell I want more What's that I hear Is it a key in the door Oh it's him I love him so much I missed him when he was gone I missed his warm touch I knew you still loved me I'd never doubt you were coming back I am not leaving your side

I'm gonna chew up your bag I'm gonna kiss you all over Until you drown in my joy I knew he still loved me I knew I was a good boy By LukeCoomer ©

## Elephant In The Room

Elephant in the room I'm gonna attempt and clear the air Bring attention to something and make you aware I do not believe in gods or follow any religions I believe it to be a work of fiction I have come to the conclusion That it's all an illusion But I don't know for sure And I need more proof to concur I have researched it thoroughly through out all my life Crawled through the dark and walked in the light And I am in no way telling you what's wrong or right I just choose not to believe i don't see the appeal I spend more time wishing superheroes were real And I know that's not based in reality It would just be a nice break from the insanity I love you all, no need to try and save me I understand you worry about me eternal soul I suspect the answers will eventually show Trying to force me to believe something I don't Will just make me be like nope! This is not to try and change any minds Just letting you know I am fine I am a good person and I do right by others And I am here for my sisters and brothers This is just to alleviate the gloom And draw attention to the elephant in the room I will talk about it if you ask Just don't expect me to wear a mask I just wanted to come clean And finally be out with it I only hope those who read my work don't guit Because I don't judge your work based on your beliefs or religious duty I read to try and understand and be in awe of its beauty By LukeCoomer ©

## **Bury The Hatchet**

Am i suppose to believe that you are sorry! You wound me with such formalities There are so many knives in my back that you can bet I could box them up and sell a set! I am no longer pretending to be surprised When your mouth opens and I receive the lies You twist the knife while looking dead in my eyes It's leaves in my mouth a bitter taste When deceit becomes a common place I've been told the rain will recede But it seems to like to follow me And I get used and discarded like a toilet paper roll Expected to pretend like I don't even know I am wide awake and will allow it no more! To often abused, i want to even the score So if you really want me to bury the hatchet The base of your skull is where I choose to stash it! LukeCoomer ©

## Come At Me Bro!

Go ahead I'm not scared of you! Bring your ugly face back in my room Night after night when I go to bed You come in here and try to get in my head I've drawn the line please come and cross it I have a trap set for you when you come out the closet I won't live in your tyranny any more My mom wonders what I'm screaming for But I've gathered my bravery and self esteem And I'm gonna sever your head with my lego guillotine All my army men are set up like a firing line And I got swords and guns, count them (nine) It won't count that they are made of plastic When your stupid monster family is crying over your casket I'm not the child for you to creep on I sleep with army boots on And I will put your ugly face on my wall like a trophy yo One last thing to say, come at me bro By LukeCoomer ©

#### **Barefoot Siren**

Barefoot Siren

- She walked among them
- Unaware as they sing there tune
- And when they fall asleep
- Under the moon, she seeks their boon
- A Beautiful young lady
- Walking among the sleeping pirates
- The stars are shining bright
- And she pilfers their pockets
- The captains quarters left bare
- As she loads the life boat
- And in the morning hours
- They will find she slit his throat
- She seeks her island paradise
- X marks the spot in the sand
- She is the pretty predator
- She is victim to no man
- Legends are told, and songs are sung in her name
- The barefoot siren
- She will head back across the ocean
- They will fall for her charms and she will strike again
- Hell hath no fury
- Like a woman scorned they say
- And as the world stays shrouded
- She will have her way
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#### **Fear And Hatred**

Eyes that pierce deep into my soul They glare at me like I don't belong Because the screams and violence we hear Is as beautiful to me as a song I am different, and they sure treat me so! Casting shade and throwing sticks and stones Making clear with pure intent That they don't want me in their home I know at times I can be scary But I'm unsure why they fear me I am aware I'm a giant ogre But your still not seeing me clearly! I revel in the darkness But I am no nightmare creature And I am constantly stared at Like I'm some horror feature I'm starting to think its hate Wish I could learn what I've done What I may have said, that seemingly blocked out the sun What ever your reasons are Why you can't help but fear or hate me? Please just let it be known Because it weighs on me quite heavily So now I sit here in the dark You'll find me if you look I'm here on the last page The monster at the end of this book LukeCoomer ©

#### Breakdown

Breakdown Sometimes I just can't stand being me! All my emotions start building up The dam that holds back my negativity cracks And through a small hole, my self loathing erupts I touch it from time to time Knowing I'm holding it back helps me focus But there are days it falls apart No need to act like I don't know it It eventually settles down And I can put the skeletons back in the closet Wash the tears from my face And clean the blood out of my faucet I can paint my smile back on Over top of these heavy eyes and frown Because at least there is a bright side I survived another breakdown So here I go, time to shake it off and be brave Too much depends on me for me to be depressed I'm just writing this to seal the hole in my dam And release the demon sitting on my chest LukeCoomer ©

#### My Super Sweet 16

My Super Sweet 16 I'm back at it again Bleeding from the small end Of my ink pen In need of a friend Not one that's pretend Who only lives in my head Sick and tired Of walking on this wire With all I desire Sitting within reach but I ascend higher and higher I'm shaking like a washing machine my head spinning like a dryer Too hot like a marshmallow over a camp fire I may be having a panic attack, but who knows I juggle like a jester in front of the iron throne You can judge, but I'm casting the first stone Through your bedroom window, I'm going inside your home With KFC fingers touching everything you own I'm missing a few pieces, like a yard sale puzzle But I'm like young wicked, I got that killer hustle Like you all I'm a slave to the struggle But unlike a seatbelt I'll never buckle And you can go on and continue the hating I still got that class, on blast like I'm whitney Peyton And I'm climbing my grind while your steady waiting But I fly like a faygo after it's been a shaking And all of my time I'd like you to quit waisting Before we find ourselves in a cutthroat situation I'm just dedicated to living my dream If you like this here, then come join my team And watch haters drop when I blow off some steam And hulk right out and bust out a seam Please welcome all to my super sweet 16

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## Wild Demons

I find managing my feelings Is comparable to taming wild demons I often lay awake Considering what's at stake While I sit in silence and slowly break A pen and paper can ease my mind But It seems harder and harder to find the time Even the voices in my head tend to rhyme As I comb my thoughts and try to act fine I feel like the ghost of a suicide victim Wandering around the solar system Im trying to shine in all directions like a prism Yet I seem to lack the wisdom What are the answers here?, I forgot to study Life's hard plus it's a bully It keeps on kicking me I'm too big too be stuffed in a locker I need a clear path to divide and conquer I bet I will still ponder While old and in a rocker If I ever find the answers I'll surely pass them on Then maybe make the cheat sheet for my son So he can battle life with clear lines drawn With all questions answered before I'm gone By LukeCoomer ©

## Starchild

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So you want to ride the waves of the Milky Way Don't let me hold you back Reach for the stars, my boy Go ahead and forge your own path You're already the captain of the ship in my heart I'm proud no matter what you do So proud in fact, it's awesome When I grow up, I want to be you! Just make sure when you become an astronaut Come tell your old man about your adventures in space I don't need you lost out there I don't want you to vanish without a trace So when you're flying past Earth like a comet Out there all curious and brave Don't forget your dad's chained to this rock Look down lovingly and give me a wave I know this world is too small to contain your spirit And it's hard letting you grow up and go But I support your galaxy quest vision And I love you and want you to know! So while you're out there being Superman in a foreign land Don't forget to remember you can get hurt And if you find some sort of alien gift shop Be a good sport and buy your old man a t-shirt LukeCoomer ©

#### In The Gears

In The Gears I don't understand how to love myself When I hate my self so deeply Constantly letting people I care for down Not being the me I need to be The things I do to show my love Happen to discretely And when I flat out tell my feelings No one seems to believe me The thing I wanted most in this life Is to be a good father, boyfriend and man But it seems the rule set Is too difficult for me to understand It sucks knowing that I'm never gonna be The greatness is stuck somewhere inside Caught in the gears of the machine I just have to swallow my pride And realize I'm far to damaged to ever work correctly And become another resident in the land of misfit toys And know the pain I feel inside Is never gonna shift to joy By LukeCoomer ©

## **Touch of Madness**

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I'm not saying I'm brilliant, but I know I've had more than a few good ideas And they say genius and madness walk hand in hand The more I bleed my heart and soul onto these pages The more of the real me I start to understand Like I realize my fathers death when I was only four Traumatized me beyond conceivable hurt And the fact that I've lived longer than him Has only seemed to amplify it and make it worse I've noticed I like to put on a show Demand attention like a clown Tell jokes and make people laugh But in reality I'm just covering up that I'm breaking down I like playing games and comic books So I can pretend I'm the hero I want to be I put my self down, make my self The butt of the joke So I feel like they are laughing with me and not at me I put every ounce of my heart into everything I do And it just ends up on my sleeve I naively keep sharing my thoughts Like any one even cares what I think I'm afraid I'm doing more damage to my son Because he can see the wreck I am I wish I was the example To show him how to be a man I'm only writing this now because I have no one to talk to And I'm trying to clear my head But it seems the madness crept in And I'm reflecting on my failure instead LukeCoomer ©

### Path of the Poet

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I live in a world of broken souls and bright minds The ones who carry so much the only relief is to write The ones surrounded in darkness reaching out to the light The ones that bring an ink pen to a gun fight I live in a land of abandoned children and morning ghosts A place where constant redemption attempts lead a soul to the roast A place where the treasure doesn't sink, it floats A place that exists between horror and hope My reality is a place people can't just visit and leave A reality where exploring your pain spells relief A reality that shows your scars on constant repeat A reality where I see the real me This is the home of the broken hearted yet hopeful Home to the ones who swim through their sorrow Home to the ones who believe in a better tomorrow The key is as easy as asking for a pen to borrow LukeCoomer ©

## A Storm is Coming

A Storm Is Coming I feel the clouds all rolling in The tide is crashing against the shore You might want to seek some shelter The winds about to crack and roar There's a hurricane stirring inside my head And I can't hold back this tidal wave I fear there is no place to hide I'm afraid I've come too far to be saved I feel the cold and bitter blizzard Chilling it's way up my spine And the giant vengeance of Mother Nature Swollen up inside my mind I'm a tsunami waiting to happen I'm lost in this monsoon Someone needs to lock me away Safely in a padded room Because this Volcano is erupting And when the dust is finally settled I fear that everything I've ever loved Will have been razed and quickly leveled Cyclonic thoughts fly around my brain Smashing the ground like glacier sized hail And I'm afraid none will live Who will be able to tell my tale So I sit here in the dark Letting the meteor shower hit my face And become nothing more than a smoldering crater That eradicated the human race By LukeCoomer ©

## From the Ashes

From the Ashes When everything falls apart You will not find me in the corner crying When everything has grown dark I'll be the one in the room that is shining I don't give up and I never intend to It would be a mistake to assume I'm a quitter Because every time my world burns down I just build it back up even bigger I'm not a super hero, I can get hurt But I don't stop walking when there are knives in my back Sometimes the wind blows my sails way off course But I just pull out a compass and find my way back So keep it coming, bring your pitchforks Grab the torches, I'll give you the matches Because I will rise like the Phoenix Any and every time my world is burnt to ashes By LukeCoomer ©

# **Glass Half Full**

Glass Half Full
You drive me out of my mind!
It's hard to act fine
When my short comings are on constant rewind
But I keep trying, putting in the work to love you
Rolling up my sleeves, doing what I need to
Until I make another mistake
And all my hard work seems fake
I just gotta keep moving, I'm not giving in
Just withered, worn and heartbroken
Relationships are an up hill fight
Trial and error are the only fool proof method to show what's right
I'm not sure if it's supposed to be this way
I'm sure I will find out one day
When it's too late
When every blood vessel leading to my heart is shriveled and black
I will be able to look back
And view my love life for what it is
A cup half full!of shit
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## **Devil\'s Night**

The turquoise pupil in the night sky peers past it's cracking purple cheeks upon me as I unlock my car

It's breath playing a sanguine song upon the leafless branches, howls and police sirens make up the bells and whistles

Emptiness in all directions save for a black cat that has ran across my hood then sat in my yard looking to me like it was trying to tell me something

I gave the key a twist and my engine ignited and beams of light from the front killed any lingering shadows that were dancing there

Still the turquoise pupil followed as I turned a corner and noticed an elderly woman desperately attempting to catch my eye

I pushed my foot like lead and sped past, I will not be caught off guard tonight is when the things that bump walk hand in hand and door to door

All of a sudden I'm lost in a haze a cyclonic dizzying mess and I find my self upon the cold wetness of a street pavement at midnights crown

I can't move and my lights are dimming like my backup generator also was stolen by a thief in the night

Then in my failing vision the woman I tried to ignore was looking upon me and smiling from ear to ear

She spoke and her voice sounded like two pieces of styrofoam being rubbed together and it was warm and dripped from her lips onto my brow

She said as I lay there fading into nothingness "tonight's the night the devil rides, it hopes he hopes to find a bride, or souls to be sold for the perfect price, you shouldn't leave home on devils night!

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# I\'m Staying

I'm Staying I died today, you've yet to notice You know sometimes I lose my focus I was not in my head at the time The drive thru window shorted me a buck and a dime I ran a light and a truck smashed into me I could see myself in the front seat But I was standing in the street I saw the truck driver checking on me Then drop and start crying with his head on his knee I put my hand on his shoulder and said it was fine But he couldn't hear me, I left And went up the incline I walked back into town as other vehicles whizzed by I just wanted to get back to you so I could say goodbye I saw others like me as I walked all alone Just as lost and confused as me, all wandering home I didn't try to talk to them, I had deeper concerns Like hating myself for never having learned You always told me to be careful when I drive If I had only listened, I would be alive So now here I am, wishing you could see me I wish I wasn't so foolhardy I want to be there to comfort you when you learn what I've done And hope you don't drink yourself to death, hun I know you need me, even though I passed away So I'm not walking into the light, I'm gonna stay I've made up my mind; heaven or hell can wait I'm gonna spend eternity next to my mate I know you would advise against me dodging the end But I only want to remain with you, my best friend I will be here to watch you grow old And I hope you move on and don't face life alone Even though you can't hear what I'm saying

I want you to be happy, and to see to it, I'm staying LukeCoomer ©

### **Bricks**

#### Bricks

Do you get that mad at other people when they don't agree with you Why did you ever even try to get me to stand up for myself I don't know why I'm pushing all this anger inward I don't know why I allow you to push me to the point of hurting myself I know it's hard for you to deal with people And it's dumb for me to think I'm inside your barrier But every time we fight and argue The future gets a lot darker and scarier I thought I was on the right path But I'm starting to think it's not a path at all Because it leads me through a overgrown field Then it u-turns into a brick wall LukeCoomer ©

# **Detroit Homicide**

**Detroit Homicide** On a dark and rainy day A unique case came across my desk A young girl found in the woods Her corpse half devoured by pests At first glance, I thought it just another homicide Here in Detroit, they are as common as stars But the crime photo was so interesting There was an obvious pattern to her scars I decided to take the case, so I set out for the forest Investigators were already hard at work looking for clues But I instantly noticed something odd... Everything was blue From her dress to her eyes, even a strand of her hair Her socks and shoes, even some trees were painted blue I'm sure they all noticed But didn't think it a clue I wrote it down in my notes Our killer had some sort of passion for colors Unfortunately it's not enough I'm gonna have to wait and see if there are others LukeCoomer ©

# Save the Day

Save the Day
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I just wanna save the day
All work, no play
Rip the buttons out my shirt, up up and away
Go toe to toe with a train
I'm gonna save that damsel
Leave her hero struck and dazzled
And her hair a little frazzled
Break a asteroid in space
Before it hurts the human race
Round house kick a tornado
Into the constellation dorado
Moving so fast though
Everyone's like where did he go
Save a cruise ship from pirates like I'm the captain now
Black eyes and busted lips, boom, pop, blow
I'd go over to North Korea, give Kim Jong a swirly
And let them shoot missiles at me
Until they realize they can't harm me
Then scoop that army
Launch them into the stars
It's better then bars
Get all the cats out the trees
Straits up all of my eats
Grateful old lady treats
And when I was full, before I'd go
I'd help that old lady cross the road
Strait up true blue boy scout
I'd save this world without a doubt
My name they'd all scream and shout
This planet would be safe, no evil could touch us
I would bring the gift of true justice
Let's make it happen, what's left to discuss

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# Virginia\'s Creeper

Virginia's Creeper You turn the lights on and drop your purse on the floor And glide like an angel into your dining room I know the day was long and hard You pour your self a spot of wine to clear the gloom You kick your pants off on the floor You seem to be dancing when you walk Your telephone rings and you jump out your seat I hear your sweet subtle voice through the walls when you talk You hang up your phone and crawl on your bed You turn your tv on but you don't ever watch it You drift into dreams, what I'd give to be your pillow The remote slipped out your hand and you dropped it I've only ever just watched, craving to be by your side I'm always just through your window Waiting and learning what I need To go up and meet you What would it take for you to feel me out here and let me in Because I'm In love with you and only falling deeper Your my sweet beautiful Virginia And I'm your hopeless romantic weed, the Creeper LukeCoomer ©

## The Smoking Gun

The Smoking Gun No matter what I do, I'm never good enough for anybody Makes me think I should live life like a kamikaze My time is divided between my job, my son, my house and my creativity Which one of these are you expecting me to give up indefinitely Sorry I can't remember to call every time I blink Sorry so sarcastic but what am I suppose to think I'm just doing whatever it is I need to do And I'm sorry I don't write it all down to give you a play through I know you miss your son, I know how that feels more than anyone But I am not the one who is holding the smoking gun I've never and will never try to keep you out his life, I've never even thought about it And the fact that you think that is purely imaginative and counterfeit I'm just trying to do the right thing, if your curious about it just call and ask Because my track record shows that I am always working to stay on the path LukeCoomer ©

# For You

For You
More meat for the grinder
Bodies fall where they lay
The determination builds at every foe they slay
They may lose a eye
But that's why god gave them two
And they keep on fighting until they are run through
This is not what they want
They fight for there king and home
The enemy has overstepped and must reap what they've sown
Throwing them selves the death himself
To protect they're family and land
They just be pawns of war but they are the last stand
Waving the white flag is not an option
Any and everything is at stake
For honor and glory make no mistake
A warrior fights for us all
The needs of the many outweigh the few
And they all become ingredients in this human stew
To the victor goes the spoils
Thoughts of a full belly and warm partner
Only makes them fight much harder
Anything worth having
Is worth fighting to the death for
So they march head on into the hell of war
Each with their minds made up
Their very own reasons for their corpses to line the fields
They line up in a row for their blood to be spilled
I'm just a poet up on a hill
Watching the carnage violently unfold
Making sure the deeds of these brave men are told
So please sing for them
They shed blood and tears it true

Every life lost on this field, they were lost for you LukeCoomer ©

#### **Mad Science**

Mad Science I want to build something I can't destroy Play god and create life with my own hands I don't mind the monster I've become I will be stopped by no mere man Science is my only friend With it I will bring the world to its knees I will change the laws of Mother Nature Bend reality to my will and do what I please And if I destroy this planet in my venture I will slip through time and space to another My mouth Waters at the knowledge and power That my ever growing brain can uncover They say I'm not a brilliant genius They say I drown in madness If you truly believe that Tell me then, what's the difference? LukeCoomer ©

### Letter to Lady Liberty

Letter To Lady Liberty Dear America, I love you But I'm afraid you've been unfaithful Isn't this the land of the free? All I see is despair and poverty Your people need you, we aren't well I'm trying ring the liberty bell There are mass shootings left and right We are killing ourselves, Lady Liberty, ignite the light! Our government is deeply corrupt And here you offer Hillary Clinton or Donald Trump It's like because justice is blind, you assume we are too You don't even have a clue what it is your people need We raise the cattle, we plant the seeds You can't say I'm not a patriot, yes I am I feel like I'm being molested by Uncle Sam You are supposed to be the greatest superpower Yet thousands here can't even shower Soldiers have fought and died for you But you make them do things they shouldn't have to do! We need you to realize what you're doing to us Because I love my country It's an issue of trust My family's wellbeing is of no concern I wonder if you'll ever learn We are here trying to succeed And here you give us what you think we need Another politician ensnared by greed! People getting guns with no business having them And then you try to take from the ones who earned them What has happened here is a prostitution You walked all over our constitution And now every time I see the flag

It makes me bow and shake my head I can't believe what the nation has become these days I'm sure the founding fathers roll over in their graves None of us should have to fight for our rights You take them away like a thief in the night This is not acceptable We are now a dancing spectacle Putting on a show for the one percent Life costs too much, we can't even pay our rent And you let them sit and watch us cry With gold plated dollar signs in their eyes To top it all off, you're more concerned with other nations' wars I'm really wondering what we are starving, homeless and hurting for I'm starting to think that you're America the Evil And I'm sorry to say, but I think we should see other people LukeCoomer ©

#### Me & The Dragon

I haven't been chasing the dragon, it's been chasing me I climbed on top one day and it flew away with me It was intoxicating seeing the world from on high Never realizing at any moment I could fall from its back and die So I rode it several more times, none as great as the first ride And when I realized what I was doing and quit I'd constantly find my self stepping in dragon shit Everywhere I went this dragon was hiding in plain sight I wondered why no one could see it as its shadow turned day into night I tried ignoring it because when I gave it attention it talked to me Telling me to climb on its back and we would fly over the sea I admit I did a few times, always regretting it after I just keep seeing me and the dragon soaring the world going faster and faster Its scales cut me and its breath burned me The dragon would say, what's a few scars for the gift to fly freely? But I wasn't free at all, I think he knew that I was aware Faking his glance into that puppy dog stare I knew at that moment what I had to do I told that dragon, I have to guit you He continued day in and day out to haunt me So I stole one of the blacksmith's swords and killed it cold turkey LukeCoomer ©

# A Genie\'s Promise

A Genie's Promise I may not be the traditional genie, but I know a few tricks More of a djinn, I do magic for kicks I don't live in a magical lamp, more like an ink bottle I'm heating it up and I'm going full throttle My pen and I will take you on a carpet ride I pulled the feather from a Phoenix's hide And with it I burn words into the air Create magical doorways to other worlds and take you there My magic is fantastic, I can take you to any destination Only limited by our imagination I'll always be here casting my magical spells With my feather, my ink bottle and a story to tell I will see you on the other side Just rub the bottle and strap in for a ride LukeCoomer ©

# Fellowship

Fellowship
Take it away
The hurt and the pain
End this throbbing that's choking my brain
I'm losing control
I've broken my soul
Staring up from the bottom of a gigantic hole
I don't know anymore
Was never watching the score
So now I lay bleeding and burning on my living room floor
I've lost my way
I never had faith
Wandering and searching, lost in a mirror maze
Give it to me
Your hate and agony
I will carry the burden so you can walk easy
Give in to my structure
I sealed up the puncture
Now your hemorrhaging heart will no longer rupture
We search for the answers
With grace like tiny dancers
Locate the source and kill the cancer
I will hold your hand
Pull you out of the sand
Me and you will plant a flag and claim this land
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# Standing in the Dark

Standing in the Dark You might think by what I do that I'm wise like a sage But underneath if you turn the page You'll find my deep seated anger and rage I'm unstable, good thing I have an outlet That allows me to keep this beast in check And continue to strive to earn your respect I'm not trying to be famous at all I just want to be remembered after I fall When the reaper comes to call I am what I am and that's all that I'm gonna be So many emotions I'm fighting insanity But I'm a clown And don't mind when they laugh at me I might write a lot of fiction but don't take me as fake Trust me that would be a foolish mistake Because I'm gonna change the world and make its foundation shake So I might be a little untraditional and not like the poets you know I'm something new and my story is just now being told So if you want to ride with this shooting star grab hold I don't always know where I'm going But I know where to start As long as I got a line in my head And a deep pain in my heart And the sense to find the light when I'm standing in the dark LukeCoomer ©

### X On My Heart

You pick the place! If I choose it will be fatal You wish to scar my face I say tear open my navel If all you want is to hurt me Can't you just finish the job What's the point of eating the corn But deciding to keep the cob You just kick me when I'm down And yell for me to get back on my feet Then trip me again and I bust my teeth on the street I've already put an x on my heart It marks the spot, stab away Im broken and in pain And I'm bleeding out anyway I've been hanging by the neck for so long Why won't you just help me die? Instead you look me in the eye And demand that I continue to try It's not that I don't love you I have done everything I've been asked to do So instead of sitting there watching me suffer Won't you just grab a blade and run me through LukeCoomer ©

### The King

#### The King

You're right, you know! I am nothing special Just a unique word slinging powerhouse With magic pumping through my veins I guess I can understand why you doubt I'm just like every one else, right? I'm sorry, give me a second to laugh out loud Trust that I will change your ignorant mind While I keep making my mama proud I'm making moves like tectonic plates Moving earth and shaking the ground And I bleed positivity No wonder you're not around I may fall from time to time But I quickly grab that rebound The more you try to shut me up The more I make my deliberate sound The more you try to hate The more I juggle like a clown And I will shed your bullshit Like Jonah Hill shed pounds I'm in the ring And going round for round And I stand back up After every time I get knocked down You're in my throne room, I am the king I'm just looking for my crown Recognize greatness when you're in its presence Show some respect and bow down LukeCoomer ©

## **Fight or Flight**

Fight or Flight Life's not worth it, I don't believe you And that's my right to do You only lay down to die when there is no fight in you Why must you give up Your heart can't endure love Who are you to say when enough is enough Yeah it's hard to tell the wrong from the right The difference between the dark and the light It's hard to see the future when it's so out of sight But we are here for a reason And I'll tolerate no treason My hopes can't be just that I'm dreaming I need you to buck up It's gross that life is so easy for you to give up Roll up your sleeves, get your hands dirty and shut the \$&@# up LukeCoomer ©

### State of the World

Why are you pushing me? Can't you tell I'm about to snap! What are you offering to me? Is this an attempt to make me relapse! .... .... .... .... .... .... I can't take it, it's to much I'm loosing touch Sanity is slipping through my clutch Taking punch after punch To the pit of my gut Oh yeah! What luck! Feel like a pair of old shoes Walked on hard and abused Sick of singing the blues Life feels like I'm watching the news Wish I could knot the noose before I spit out another loose tooth Was told I have a lot to lose To tell the truth, I don't see the proof So what is it you expect me to do? I swallow my pride Been left burning at the wayside To stubborn to hide The light inside has withered and died So can't you see why it's no surprise When I open my third eye All I see is my own demise I'm sick and tired of watching the world die It's enough to make a grown man cry That's right, it brings a tear to my eye Knowing all were left with is ...why

There was once a time we knew who to blame We could call it by name But now things have changed And will never be the same LukeCoomer ©

### Victory

This is not the end, not as long as we stand side by side The sun will still rise, we can see the bright side at high tide The darkness is closing in, but our light burns bright enough to purge the night Monsters all around and they are coming for us But we must brush off the rust and turn these creatures to dust We will prevail, we shall overcome Slaying the devils wherever we find some With light, hope, and love The future does seem bleak but we are not weak Together when we speak, we can wrap the enemy in a sheet and encase it in concrete The wall may have fallen, but it was never the final line The fight is yours and mine Grit and spine with no intention to divide We fight the long fight We will be just fine Let's rewrite history with the tales of our victory Push through the misery with passion and unity LukeCoomer ©

# Frigid

#### Frigid

Blood dripping from my frowning face

Mixed with the tears that run my cheeks

And I've been working like a dog

- Little sleep in many weeks
- "Tis the season, everywhere we look we see it
- Everyone rushing to and fro
- And I'm out here crying
- Letting my blood stain the snow

Ive done a lot of wishing and hoping

- Looking for my real enemy
- I see him now looking me eye to eye
- From my reflection in the ice upon the cold frozen street

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#### Hey!

Hey! Hey! It's so good to see you! What you been up to? Have you been bending this world to your will? Sorry I can't shut up Look at you, all grown up Have you been out here keeping it real? For real though, it's a pleasant surprise What a sight for sore eyes So many good people I never see again I want to hear the story you tell I hope all is well Nothing like catching up with an old friend Through all the rain and snow Down whatever path you chose The true will always reconnect And no matter what I've been through Or how worn my shoes It honors me to shake hands with one I respect My big smile starts to fade As I go on my way There is a great chance this meeting's our last All we can do is keep walking Through the fog and the lightning Hoping again we may cross paths LukeCoomer ©

#### What is Evil?

Alright, wait a minute! Let's capture evil Is it a man with a sniper rifle in hand, climbing the stairs of a steeple Screwed up on dope and lost all hope, looking down scope and taking shots at people Is it a mother who thinks she made a mistake and drove her van in a lake While her kids were in the back chowing some birthday cake Pretending it was an accident while her mind can only fixate hate What do we know, well it goes to show we can only imagine What snaps in minds of those who seem fine and it always ends so tragic Is evil a man who stole a child playing in their yard Caused her harm while her mother was off guard Vanished without any alarm Is it a homeless man chewing the hand of another homeless man High on bath salts and sick of eating from trash cans Is it the devil or the preacher, they both take advantage Influencing minds and causing permanent damage Fingers pointing every which way, and I don't think evil can clearly be defined today LukeCoomer ©

#### The Bard

#### The Bard

I've seen deep into the filth of man, places only demons go!
I've peered upon the dangers of the land, the ones who've gone and sold their soul
I've listened to the endless cries from folks whose minds are broken
I've heard every and all the hatful things from under breath is spoken!
I've felt the hopeless despair of a mother whose babe was taken
Ive embraced a drunken urchin
Whose inner rage has waken
I've felt the sticky fingers pilfering from a thief whose on the run
I nearly ruined my nose when I happened upon an open grave
And I forever gag and heave after meeting a girl who didn't bathe
Who am i to sing the songs of lives drawn long and hard
I write the tales in poetry, my name is just" the bard"

# **Porcelain Doll**

I look at you and I'm appalled You used to be a porcelain doll Not a smudge upon your face But that innocence left without a trace You've let them mistreat you and now your broken Fell for every lie they've spoken You used to be beautiful, you used to be rich But then you took the needle to the stitch and can never be fixed I look at you and I'm appalled You used to be a porcelain doll LukeCoomer ©

# In Lights

In lights
It's inside of me
Screaming at me
Relentlessly
Demanding I set it free
The words coming from every which way
Forcing my blood to stain the page
I can no longer contain the anger and rage
It just comes out
Wether I'm riddled with doubt or dead on the route
Not sure what life's about but I'm a figure it out
To this craft I'm devout
So any one that's in my way
You'll find out today
Your in my spot
Like it or not
I'm coming in hot
And dropping your ass in a plot
Don't like it you can swing on my nozzle
Head strong and I'm going full throttle
Bow down to the genie of the ink bottle
To all the ones who said I couldn't do it
Just watch in awe while I school it
Your not gonna be able to do anything but jam to it
Give me just three minutes time
And with my rhyme
I will expand your mind and open your third eye
l just won't die
Like the Phoenix I rise
To me it's my life, to you a surprise
Werewolf of the leash
Gonna tear the meat off the back of the beast
They thinking that I won't bite

Who knows I just might Attack the world like a parasite Wether I use a pen or a mic I'm leaving my mark and I'm doing it right Won't back down from a fight Day or night Through the smog and the plight I'll never stop till I see my name in lights LukeCoomer ©

#### **Hunter Cole**

Hunter Cole Hunter Cole has lost his way Something dear to him was stolen His wife was killed in an accident And now his heart is swollen Heroes and villains slugging it out To him they are all plain evil Destroying everything they touch Never worried about the people The heroes claim they do They say the ordinary are who they serve and protect But Hunter's lab was decimated And he lost all respect Because beneath the rubble his beautiful wife died When he found her he screamed for help No one came, he yelled for hours then buried her himself They underestimated him They never saw it coming Hunter was a man of science And he came up with something He repaired himself with metal parts Technology would help him climb Because from this point on he vows That he will kill the super powered with his mind Crush them between his intellect and telekinesis He's no longer human and he no longer cares So if you find out you have super powers I wouldn't let Hunter Cole become aware LukeCoomer ©

# Tyrant

#### Tyrant

What is this you make me do? Why am I tasked to bleed for you? You make me fight, you don't tell me why I'm just supposed to fight and die! You don't keep your promise You dump poison on us And we are to ignore your deeds It is what you decree! Never mind the man behind the curtain Never mind your homeless, hungry and hurting A Tyrant takes and uses Claiming to save you while forcing you to hide your bruises Claiming to help you with constant excuses Walking towards the hangman to knot your own nooses LukeCoomer ©

#### The Clause

The Clause I'm gonna take the Reindeer by the antlers Like I was reaching out to grab a rattler The elves are done making toys They've been released to make some Christmas noise Me, I got deliveries to make So I down my jack and egg nog protein shake I hop aboard my sleigh On the iPod I set Slayer to play I go from house to house so fast That cop couldn't even see me flip the bird in the cam on his dash A kid almost caught me in his room on my creep But a quick head butt put him back to sleep And there was another girl, I don't think she saw me In the living room, under the mistletoe kissing mommy Christmas is my jam, I do it like a celebrity Besides this is my day, it's all about me I'm taking these cookies and checking your daddy's wallet And your mothers jewelry, I'm gonna pawn it Take your free swag, and don't try to spot me I headed up to your sisters room, I heard she was naughty Ho Ho Ho, and a bottle of rum If only I could remember which way I came from LukeCoomer ©

# You Got This

You got this

Push on! You've almost made your way through You did this! They can't take it from you You've stumbled through the tunnel But the light at the end is showing it's hue Keep on fighting, most of the enemies lay on the floor Licking their wounds because you've given them what for Yes there are more coming but that won't stop you Just be ready when they come bursting through the door Continue reaching, you've almost touched the sun I know growing is hard, but your almost done You will be the prettiest sunflower in the garden Just stay at it until you've won Just keep swimming, I know it's a wonder how When it seems everything is designed to pull you down But use your fins rise to the top This is your world, don't let yourself drown LukeCoomer ©

# Jack Frost

Jack Frost It is as cold as the depths of space here ?? It reaches outward from my frigid frozen heart ?? My home is a world void of warmth ?? Freezing all that I touch in a blanket of Ice ?? Chilling arctic winds I exhale In exasperation ?? It's very much like sleeping in a igloo naked and in the fetal position ?? Warm thoughts elude me, my brain frosted over ?? I can't stand the sub zero temperature pouring out from inside of me ?? My blood liquid nitrogen as it flees from my heart ?? I try to cry but my tears freeze to my face ?? I'm in cryostasis frozen and alone in the dark ?? Heat of any kind gets up and runs away from me ?? Fires expire and candles commit suicide ?? I'm stuck in the reflection you see upon a frozen lake bed ?? No one can hear my words, frozen to the tip of my tongue ??

The children can't see me here, but they feel my icy sting upon their warm faces

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## **Damsel in Distress**

I want to be her knight in shining armor I want to kill any monster that would try to harm her I want to be her gladiator and stay on my feet I want to earn her rose and catch it with my teeth I want to kill the dragon and climb to the tower's peak Free her from her cell in the dungeon's keep I want to be the warrior she summons when all hope is lost I want to be the fire that melts away her frost I want to be the magic she wields to fix all her problems I want to be her stalwart iron-hearted Gollum But the truth is I am the damsel in this story And she's the warrior that came to save me I'm just a down on my luck wheat farmer And she is my knight in shining armor LukeCoomer ©

## What?s Good?

What's Good Okay! What do you say we find out what's good! Is it a friend who don't pretend Who deletes a video you didn't mean to send Is it someone who spends their last buck To make sure you didn't skimp out on lunch Tells your mom who doesn't see you much That when they saw you, you were great and such Is it someone who listens when you talk Even though you talk a lot And your story has no context or plot Just a drawn out long thought And when you ask if your boring them they say that your not Is it the soldiers who go off to war Hungry, hurting and sore Not knowing what they are fighting for Drug dealers seem bad, to a junkie they are a trusted bloke One who threw them a rope When they were to weak to cope Does it take a Symbol or a badge To decipher good from bad Not all cops protect and serve But there are some who think to crime they are the cure Unfortunately superheroes aren't real, they set the example But everyone else to them is a damsel What about doctors? They make sure we remain But why do we eat apples to keep them away? What about Jesus? Why do we pray For all our loved ones to be here today But they still go away What's good, is all I'm trying to say LukeCoomer ©

## **Die Trying**

Die Trying Lost in the struggle and I'm not lying Plan to be immortal and I'll die trying Continue to cast aside the words that I'm saying I'm fizzing off the top like a soda pop and I'm not playing Is it a blessing or a curse Silver tongue, I always find the words To let the stress in my mind disperse But the truth hurts And I always end up with my dick in the dirt It's so hard being trapped in my mind Feel locked away and committed no crime I just want my time to shine Burning out like a lighting bug in a jar Singing inside but the noise don't carry to far Busting my balls inside sound proof glass walls Resorting to words of wisdoms in bathroom stalls I'm a puppet on a string swinging like a ding a ling People barley notice and all I want to do is scream Trying to live My American dream But what I am is not what you see It's hard to make them scream and holler In a day and age where people will do anything for a dollar And I can't leave my yard like I'm wearing a shock collar I don't want to take over the world! Just don't want it to forget me Walked through too much mud, shed too much blood and dealt with too much tragedy I won't be forsaken and cast aside I refuse to sit back and just wait to die This uphill battle I will continue and try And when someone says luke is talented they can't deny As long as I have a beat in my heart and a sparkle in my eye You can bet that my brain is working overtime I am a poet and a content creator

I am a comic book writer and freak of nature I am the storm that's rolling in 2018 is the year of the djinn By LukeCoomer ©

## Dry

#### Dry

Things in my head have been sticky lately The thoughts in the well of my mind have run dry I'm trying to dust off the cobwebs I have no doubts that moisture will come back if I continue to try Under every nook and cranny I find dirt Everywhere like sand in a swimsuit I need to beat the heat before the rest of me dries out And I float off in the wind with a poof I need the hydration that only my imagination can bring I need to wipe the soot off of these old tomes I am dedicated to the reanimation of my worn and contorted soul I'm not gone, but I'm still trying to find my way back I'm just in the bottom of this dried up well I know it will soon be overflowing If I could just find the right spell LukeCoomer ©

## The Reapers Game

Slipping closer to the end With every breath I take Coming apart at the seems The reaper is hard to shake I have withered and grown worn Time is taking it's toll Rapidly fading into nothing My childhood has been stole I thought I was eternal I thought I'd never die I was told I could be anything If I would only try The future has become the present I'm no longer in my prime I have never achieved my dreams And I'm running out of time How can I be happy? When I'm inevitably going to cease I see the vultures start to gather Waiting for they're feast I will become nothing more Than an infested mound Making a new home In the cold wet ground I feel deaths boney hand on my shoulder Every time I quiver in pain I know that I will not win When I play the reapers game By LukeCoomer ©

## **Self Contained**

Self Contained When you look at me, you assume I am fine But inside I'm beating on the glass behind my own eyes This body is a prison, some kind of divine disguise There is no way out, I'm trapped inside my mind Reality is harder to understand Never being sure what it takes to be a man Confusion and chaos a caving constant My growing insanity a glowing monument I can't clearly see through this fog of nonsense Inside I riot with my imaginary cell mates Outside I simply do what it takes To live day to day and pretend I'm okay I'm worried I'm losing the battle A shepherd who threw down his cane to be one with the cattle All I can do is incoherently babble Wavering in the wind on this tightrope I clumsily straddle I'm beat up and bleeding, screaming for assistance I outright can't understand existence I've looked too far inward and have gone the distance But what I see scares me and I'm losing my persistence Wishing to give up my sentients Why should I continue to attempt to understand I'm nothing special, just another man LukeCoomer ©

## I Don?t Break

I'm the Wyshmasta don't you know Step to me and I will snatch your soul Look at all these haters on parade They're throwing tomatoes and I'm tossing grenades You can take that shade and that hate And stuff it all the way up your ass homie, I don't break! I say let it rain, bring on the pain! Like Steve Rogers say, I can do this all day That which is eternal can not die And if you think you can kill me your welcome to try But I won't sit idly by A ball bat, I grab that and swat a fly Feel free to spread the word Run tell that, let those feelings disperse Tell them you came in here running your cocksucker and got hurt And you've done nothing to me but get blood on my shirt I don't give a fuck about your feelings And I'm not alone homie, I am Legion So if you want to continue to poke at the demon Just think of all the friends and family you'll be leaving Unlike my hair line I won't be receding And if you think you can stop me go ahead and keep dreaming I keep on rising like the Phoenix Of lore And your just one more obstacle I must step over before I soar LukeCoomer ©

## Systematically Random

Systematically Random I'm haunted like Luigi's Mansion With my vacuum up I stare these Boos down Life is like a box of chocolates I eat while waiting on the bus out of town A tree fell over in the forest inside my head And of course I was the only one to hear it In this quidditch match I'm in The Snitch just vanishes any time I try to near it Change the channel, I've gone batty Staring down the stumps of Ferngully I scream and I laugh, madness it may seem Only drawing the attention of Mike and Sully I throw my last Pokéball to catch them all I'm filling out my Pokédex And when I'm dead from one to the head I will only talk to Jonah Hex I know this text is a cryptic jest But if you search a little more Read between the lines of these thoughts of mine Underneath the metaphors, you might just find what you're looking for LukeCoomer ©

# **Pop Culture Poet**

I am addicted
It's like I am on Slo-Mo
Feels like I'm jacked into the matrix
It supercharges my mojo
I'm on a mission impossible
To go where no man has gone
Listening to dan bulls "boom boom boom"
Because I effin love that song
Building the world around me
With each multi colored brick
And the occasional
Sugar laden doozer stick
I love who I am
But love all the creatures I could be more
And I am happy your here
But if you want to leave I will hold the door
I'm a resident of mundania
But schedule several xanth vacations
I pack light when I go
But I got my bag of holding for emergency situations
When I left I was the learner
But I've become the master
At Xavier's school for the gifted
l just gotta be faster
Im trapped in the underworld
But it can't rain all the time
Just gotta find my superstar
In the land before time
It's a Sherlock homes mystery
Like a princess with no name
I'm not the worlds greatest detective
But I'm surviving the game
it reminds me of the babe

- The babe with the power
- So I will continue to write
- To the top of Nakatomi Tower
- So whether I'm in neverland
- Or a shipping container in terminus
- I'm a pop culture poet
- No matter what I'm doing this
- So come with me, and you'll see
- A world of pure imagination
- And it is a real big fish
- That it's my final destination
- I'm geeking all the way out
- And there ain't no shame in my game
- Standing on top of pride rock
- And they're chanting my name
- I know I'm over the top
- But you know what ol jack always says
- When people think your dying
- They really listen to you instead
- So call me indigo montoya
- Because I shopped smart at s mart
- Pop culture lives
- In the depths of my heart
- By LukeCoomer ©

## Dollar

Dollar Chorus Do you got a dollar I can borrow I'm just trying to drown my sorrow In the bottom of a bottle Don't want to think about tomorrow Verse one Yeah, I messed up big What gives? I lost my wife and my kids As you can guess it was my fault honestly Not really sitting here drowning on modesty The dog got out, got hit by a car And I grab my guitar And hit the closest bar I hopped on the struggle bus Take me to the other side of Columbus Down on my luck Here's to a life full of suck Chorus Do you got a dollar I can borrow I'm just trying to drown my sorrow In the bottom of a bottle Don't want to think about tomorrow Verse two Yeah, I lost my job at shop Got sick of pushing the mop Child support took my whole check Now I behind on my rent I just need to keep drinking Trying to drown out the thinking Sitting here at the bar Strumming on my guitar

Just need another dollar for a shot I swear it's all that I want All I have is right now And I sing it out loud Chorus Do you got a dollar I can borrow I'm just trying to drown my sorrow In the bottom of a bottle Don't want to think about tomorrow Chorus Do you got a dollar I can borrow I'm just trying to drown my sorrow In the bottom of a bottle Don't want to think about tomorrow By LukeCoomer ©

## White Flag

#### White Flag

Just can't seem to get it right It's got me keeping odd hours

- Watching my blood spiral down the drain
- After a nose bleed in the shower
- I'm not asking any questions at the moment
- Because I'm afraid of the answers
- Just let me drown in this shot glass
- And throw bills at these dancers
- This is not the life I wanted to live
- Just playing what's been dealt
- Rapidly running out of fucks to give
- So here's one to my health
- Dousing my bridges in gasoline
- And I'm lighting a match
- Life just keeps on moving
- And it's going way to fast
- There isn't anything that I can do
- To make being me any easier
- Just end up losing touch
- Growing colder and meaner
- Getting so lost seems the realist form of tragedy
- I can't even find myself
- I don't even care anymore
- Why should anyone else
- Put me back in the bottle
- I don't want to fight anymore
- Let me go a ghost of the battle
- That fell not knowing what I was fighting for
- LukeCoomer ©

## Monkey on a Typewriter

Monkey on a typewriter

I'm starting to wonder if I'm speaking clearly or did I stutter?
Am i just shouting at these four empty walls, my legacy writing I was here on bathroom stalls
I try to put on a show but I'm pushed to where I belong,In the back of your head like the mystery of a memory or a forgotten song
Why make an effort to build me up
When your only gonna kick me when I'm down?
Don't bother throwing the rope I'm just gonna sink to the bottom and drown!
I'm already used to the abuse and disappointment, what's dr. kavorkians number ?
I need to schedule an appointment
So here I go again, thinking,wishing and hoping people might care
Instead of barely look my direction or just vacantly stare
Im just a monkey on a type writer, slapping the keyboard
Eh screw it I'm bored and grown accustomed to being ignored
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#### **No Excuses**

No Excuses I've got a headache Stress will do that! You say that I'm done I tell you to prove that My feet are sore I sure carry a lot You say that's why I'll quit I say no it is not I've got cramps in my fingers From gripping a pen You say that's my sign to give up I say your playing pretend Just because it hurts to continue From a life of constant abuse It doesn't mean that I will ever stop And my pain will never be an excuse LukeCoomer ©

## Unconditional

#### Unconditional

There is nothing you could say or do That would make a single fraction of a second that I didn't love you Your forever attached to me by these sturdy heart strings Doesn't matter what troubles or drama loving you brings It's unconditional, it's like becoming a zombie I say You bit me when you were born and now I'm stuck this way You can annoy the crap out of me all day and night And we might get into it, argue and fight But I would do it gladly because I am doing it with you And when it's all over I can remind you that I love you Even when you out grow me and have a kid of your own I'll always have your back and where I am is your home I will always need you even if it feels like your bothering me That's the benefit of having family LukeCoomer ©

## Garden of Souls

Garden of Souls I only play the nice guy To convince you to let me on the inside When I know you have nowhere to hide I unleash the monster inside my mind Go ahead and run Ecstasy is the thrill of the hunt I'll break down every door you shut When I find you, I will open you up I feel your heartbeat when I draw near I yearn for the smell of your fear Your screams and cries are like music to my ears When I find you, I will taste your tears Please do fight back Scream and shout and punch and scratch Wear yourself out with your little attack When you're done, I'll stuff you in a sack Is it comfortable back there in the trunk of your car? Don't worry my dear, we're not going that far I'm putting on a show and you're the star You must have wanted this, you didn't fight very hard The moon hangs in the sky, wish you could see it But my inner beast hungers and I'm gonna feed it This isn't something I want, but I do need it Stay in the bag, the last one got away and I won't repeat it I give you this gift, every knife I own Thanks for letting me in your home Don't worry your pretty head, you won't be alone Welcome to my special place, a garden of souls LukeCoomer ©

#### Jessica

Jessica

I feel for you my dude I know you've been on that trail of tears And yeah I will be your shoulder You've been here for me for years You say she don't come home anymore She's always hanging out with Jessica She told you she don't love you anymore I know that has to mess with yuh You say your heart is broken And I am your only trusted friend And you don't think you have it in you To feel real love again Well I feel you my dude, and my heart's breaking too I hope you have some form of forgiveness in yuh Because me and your girl have been hooking up She put my number in her phone as Jessica I see your gun homie, please don't kill me I only told you out of respect Wait, please shoot me instead I don't want to be responsible for your death

## **Mad Science**

I want to build something I can't destroy Play god and create life with my own hands I don't mind the monster I've become I will be stopped by no mere man Science is my only friend With it I will bring the world to its knees I will change the laws of Mother Nature Bend reality to my will and do what I please And if I destroy this planet in my venture I will slip through time and space to another My mouth Waters at the knowledge and power That my ever growing brain can uncover They say I'm not a brilliant genius They say I drown in madness If you truly believe that Tell me then, what's the difference?

## Blood on my hands (Part 1)

What have I done? Covered in blood head to toe, where was I last night, where did I go Whatever I did under the moon I can see in the sun I gotta retrace my steps, I need to know, quick shower and changed now I'm ready to go

Crimson footprints lead to my car

I open the door more blood on the floor, handprints on the steering wheel and smears on the dashboard

I can't have traveled that way very far

Turn the key hear the engine roar, following the peel out marks to see what I did before, feeling the weight of what I might have done to my core

Two blocks away

a caution tape police crime scene,

one officer states it's the most blood he's ever seen

What can I say

That's the house of my x llene, the queen of mean, even her voice in my head is on constant scream

I fit the description

The car radio said a large white man about six foot four, was spotted leaving the scene the night before

But I'm not a killer something is missing

Information, I needed more, but if they spot me I'm going to jail for sure

## I?m Not Afraid

I'm not afraid of lions and tigers They aren't stalking my streets There's a whole different predator out here With hate and hurt in their heart looking for meat

I'm not afraid of werewolves and vampires There are worse monsters out under the moon Plotting and scheming looking to catch you alone Broken in their head on a path towards doom

I'm not afraid of snakes and spiders They are dangerous but predictable There is a whole different creepy crawler With a plan that's just despicable

I am afraid of you I fear for the evil that men do There are people who just want to hurt you When your not a threat or somethings food These other things won't bother you But when someone's not right in their head and they find you You can't trust what they are gonna do I'm afraid of the evil that men do

## Knight Fall

Jason couldn't stand it anymore So many villains needing punched in the face He was gonna take to the streets and give them what for But he never really knew what it would take He made a mask and makeshift armor in his garage Waited for night to fall to go on patrol The purse snatcher thought him a mirage He knocked out the women took her bag so he could go Jason gave chase after him through the park Tackled him very hard down to the ground The two men rolling and fighting in the dark Until a sudden deafening sound The robber got away that night And Jason's name was mentioned on the news Not for being a hero who chose to fight But for his life he had to lose

### How to be a Brother

I don't know what it's like to have a real brother I tell you this I'm truly eager to find out I'm sorry I was never there to annoy you In your room, wearing your cloths making you shout It's a shame dad died when we were young And left us scattered in the wind It would have been great to grow up next to you United brothers unbreakable kin We barely know each other and it's a shame Wish I knew what you were really like Wish I could have stole your girlfriends Wish you would have stolen my bike You look just like our father It still seems surreal My girl just laughes at me Wondering what's the big deal But I think you know And I hope your proud of me Because I do everything in my power To touch the soul of everyone around me

## Easy

I'm just having a bad day It must be why I feel this way Like I'm holding the whole planet And the air I breath is getting stagnant Failing the stress test Even though I'm giving my best Just to much to deal with at the moment It's seeping through my pores, my face it, shows it! I hate when everything bottles up I feel seconds away from a violent erupt I just wish sometimes things could be easy And it wasn't a constant struggle just to be me

### Twoface

I don't care what you think of me Actually I care so much it's a tragedy I ignore what you say to me Secretly I hang on every word eagerly

I do what I do for me and not you In truth Everything that I do is for you I am amazing I know, I am cool No proof

I know what I am, I'm afraid it's a fool

I got this on lock, no worries here friend Instead I'm worried I'll die alone in the end I'm a genius no doubt, every word that I said In my head In reality I live in a world that's pretend

One look in the mirror I stare at a hero For real though The person I see is an absolute zero I have no questions, the answers I know Can't grow My mother dropped a seed and planted a hole

## Hurting

I don't know how many times I can break I feel the weight with each and every mistake When you're a constant fuck up, saying "I'll do better" seems .... fake I can't control it, been rolling with the punches and kicks But you can get fed up real quick I've had enough of this shit But I know I can't let it go Maybe I can find my soul out in the rain and the snow and bring it back home Cursed with a strong will, I won't just roll over and die I will continue to try so I can look my kids in the eye Believe me this is no lie So take your hate out on me I'll carry the burden for free, the only one paying is me I will reach the mountain peak with the whole world on my shoulders Climbing over the boulders as I continue to get older And I won't holster I'll push through the burden I'm gonna see behind that curtain because i know for certain That I'm needed here even though I am .....hurtin

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