Firewall

Bright Eyes

I do my best to sleep through the caterwaul
The classicists, the posturing avant-garde
I bought a gray macaw named him Jules Verne
He'll probably outlive me he's a bright bird
Keeps me company I teach him new wordsI saw a hologram at the theme park
She looked as real as me through the white fog

Then she melted down to her ankles
Turned into a million-watt candle
If I knew where she went I would follow

Walking through the land of tomorrow

Martian trinkets, plastic Apollos In the sunshine try to act normal

My veins are full of flat cherry-cola

Slept on a bench by the roller-coasterDreamt I was riding on a motorbike Lion of Judah painted on the sideI'm doing fine, I'm back in the Palisades

Life's a wash, a pastoral school play China shops and cold ivory towers I and I make toasts to the Caesars

Forcing down the dregs of DecembersMadeline she spins in a slow bang All through the house the strong smell of burnt sage

Let's make it clean and run out the spirits

I know a diving bell when I hear it

We're going down now under the surface

Light to dark can shift in an instant

Feeling close but keeping my distance

On all fours she's just so insistent

Fills my mind with jump ropes and slit wrists

Bust through the Firewall into heavenThen I'm standing in that blinding light Crooked crosses falling from the skySeen yeah seen by I and I

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