HEART SHAPED TATTOO

I'm stuck on you like that heart shaped tattoo

That your mum always said that you never thought through

But we all make mistakes when we're twenty two

And and you know how she hates everything that we do

You still do it to spite her but honey I can't chose

I'm just stuck on you like that heart shaped tattoo

And you flash through my mind like these old plywood signs

That litter the edge of these freeways I ride

I thought of so many jokes that I'm just dying to tell

And why can't you be lying in that next cheap hotel

To recount all our stories and trade every crime

As it's flashed through my mind

Like these old plywood signs

There's stars in the movies

There's stars in the skies

There's stars on the boulevard

And there's stars in her eyes

But it's the scars that get me

When she lays at my side

And says I know you don't love me

But neither do I

So I'm colored in blue like that heart shaped tattoo

That get's covered in denim when the winter blows through

And I can't kick a demon that looks like she does

No I can't dodge a bullet that feels like her love

Pushed a hundred doors open but I still can't walk through

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Now every new place just marks how far I travelled from you

And every new face just reminds me what yours can do

But darling after all we've been through

I can't just put this call down and start a new

Girl I'm stuck on you like that heart shaped tattoo

That your mum always said that you never thought through

There's stars in the movies

There's stars in the skies

There's stars on the boulevard

And there's stars in her eyes

But it's so hard to read them no matter what we do

So I just hope some day you'll see they shine inside you

Cause that girl that I once knew could light up the night

And get all of these downtown bars dancing in time

She taught me about beauty, she taught me about pain

She taught me about dancing around drunk in the rain

And I know where she's fallen cause I know how it feels

To go running around this world chasing Keroaks heels

And I retraced those steps to that cheap hotel door

Where I talked you out of trying to fly from the seventeenth floor

Cause theres no angels circling these hollywood dreams

And we're all tired of working the memory machines

Now the boulevards frozen, the skies coming down

But I'm still out here chasing your ghost around this town

With these city lights that love you and I think I might too

That's why I'm stuck on you..

Like that heart shaped tattoo