

JUST LIKE EVE

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No capo, 125 BPM

INTRO: G C D C

VERSE 1

G

You came of age today

C

Another fairy tale gone astray
D
A treasure from youth, some unshakeable truth

C
Shattered and swept away

You lost a friend this time
Another hero was left behind
A terrible cost, that refuge you've lost
The garden from nursery rhyme

CHORUS

Em Am

Just like Eve, I used to believe in a rose-colored paradise

Em Am

In vine-covered walls, there was never a call to bargain or sacrifice

Em **Am**

Outside the gate, dragons wait and the world is on fire

D The centuries burn with hunger and yearning and
C hope and desire.

VERSE 2

Today, one more fortress fell
Somewhere between here and hell
This garden a stage for the war that you waged
For the soul you refused to sell

You took that first bite again
Invited the demons in
I watch while you stand and stare down the
damned
A new chapter and verse begin



CHORUS 2

Just like Eve, I started to need something more
than that sheltered place
To cry and to bleed, to die in the weeds, an
unbearable leap from grace

To dance on the edge of that razor thin ledge that
was keeping the floods at bay
That original sin comes cascading in ... the
knowledge I couldn't stay

BRIDGE

You once were the Morningstar
A firefly in a mason jar
Angels deceived you but banishment freed you
Now truth is your battle scar

CHORUS 3

Just like me, sometimes you still grieve for that
arrogant vanity
The stories that bound us, there's something
profound in the power of certainty
The voice in my head while I'm lying in bed, a
whispered prayer from the child within
But I wake up alone, my fate is my own, we can
never go back again
I wake up alone, my fate is my own, I would never
go back again