

Talk Me Through My Blackouts

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Breathe me blue
Spill my salt
Wipe my ocean clean
Tear my stamps
Burn my asphalt
Poison my heart with caffeine
Beat my brains
Tie my side
Smoke all my nectarines
Pull my lane
Bite my stride
Steal me from my guillotine

Twist my focus
Squeeze my books
Blow my candles out
Spell my howl
Hum my halls
Talk me though my blackouts
Type my skin
Remember my stoop
Join me in my stakeout
Fry my trash bin
Cook my soup
Accept my city droughts

Bruise my knees
Punish my fear
Force me not to tire

Refuse my surrender
Scorch my home
Chop me from my empire
Taunt my lie
Devour my hope
Push me in barbed wire
Taste my life
Take my rope
Drag me through my bonfire

Bloom my madhouse
Hurry my shore
Strip my ship of bones
Press my time
Pelt my peephole
Make my hair windblown
Boil my street
Drink my rain
See me hard as stone
Win my crime
Rip my vein
Strap me to my wishbone