

# Rootless Tree

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Maestoso ♩ = 70

What I want from you, is empty your head. Well they say, be true, and don't stain your bed. — But

8 we do what we need to be free, — and this leans on me — just like a root-less tree. — What I want from

17 us, is empty your minds. And we fake, the fuss, and fracture the times, — but

24 we go blind, when we've needed to see, — and this leans on me — just like a root - less;

32 You — and all we've been through. I said leave it — 'cos it's

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no-thing to you and if you hate me and hate me so good that you can let me out,

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let me out, let me out of this hell when you're around. Let me out, let me out, let me out,

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hell when you're around. Let me out, let me out, let me out. What I want from this, is

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learn to let go. And no not, of you, of all that's been told. And kil - lers, re-in

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vent and be lieve, and this leans on me just like a root - less; You

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and all we've been thr- ough. I said leave it 'cos it's no-thing to you and if you

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hate me and hate me so good that you can let me out, let me out, let me out 'cos it's

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hell when you're around. Let me out, let me out, let me out, hell when you're around. Let me out,

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let me out, let me out. hell when you're around. Let me out, let me out, Let me out,

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let me out, Let me out, let me out, Let me out, let me out, Let me out, let me out,

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Let me out, let me out, let me out, Let me out, Let me out. You

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and all we've been through. I said leave it 'cos it's

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no-thing to you and if you hate me and hate me so good that you can let me out,

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let me out, let me out 'cos it's hell when you're around. Let me out, let me out, let me out 'cos it's

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hell when you're around. Let me out, let me out, let me out, hell when you're around.

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Let me out, let me out, let me out, hell when you're around. \_\_\_\_\_