

## Ghost River

Nightwish

It's a long road down the river deep 'n wild  
Every twist and turn a wonder-dale  
It's a scary ride we'd give anything to take  
Let yourself bleed  
Leave a footprint on every island you see

Hey you, child of rape, the riverbed awaits  
Snow-white, pitch-black, your life such strife  
Heavenward, deep down, I'll show you such sights  
Believe it, we live as we dream/scream

He will go down he wil drown drown, deeper down  
The river wild will take your only child  
He will go down he wil drown drown, deeper down  
The mills grind slow in a riverbed ghost town  
He will go down he wil drown drown, deeper down  
If you want me, then do come across

What is it you dream of child of mine?  
The magic ride, the mermaid cove?  
Never met a kinder haert than yours  
Let it bleed  
Leave a footprint on every island you see

I am the painted faces, the toxic kiss  
Sowing of doubt, troll beneath the bridge  
Come across  
Death by a thousand cuts  
Believe it, we live as we dream/scream

I am the desert-scape, the sand inside your hourglass  
I am the fear and abuse, the leper children  
Every eye sewn shut

We will go down he wil drown drown, deeper down  
The river wild will be our last ride  
We will go down he wil drown drown, deeper down  
The mills grind slow in a riverbed ghost town

Beautifully shy as you are  
Never loose your heart  
And do come across