

## Neglect

What did I say? What did I do?  
How come you don't love me  
like you used to?  
Why the booze the drugs and the men?  
Can heaven hear my silent cries?

As days and days and days go by?  
I am silent and quiet I don't even move.  
How can she hit me? What did I do?  
Where are my toys? Where is my food?

Why didn't you think of me  
instead of your booze?  
I cry silently without any tears.  
How many is that almost 12 beers?

I can't cry no I can't.  
No one will love me if I am bad.  
I am all alone, and nobody sees  
all the hurt that encompass me.

Don't you see my heart is broke?  
Bad memories that it invokes.  
Now I am older and can see  
all the memories that hurt me..  
Even so I must go on.  
And end the destruction of years gone wrong.

In remembrance to all who have cried silent tears..

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