

Album Lyrics - Woodhawk – Violent Nature (2019)

1. Snake In The Grass

As two worlds collide it's apparent

What's happened here

Destruction through corruption

By the face of fear

The ground begins to crumble beneath me

As my knees turn weak

Reverting back to the old ways

In times of need

When change is not enough

And rubble turns to blood

All that's here, left to lose

Is the hope that carries you

Get down low

And pray for death

Staring out over the ocean

At the crashing waves

The feeling of being pulled under

One breath from safe

Cracking under weight that you can not hold

The levee soon will break if you don't gain control

**You say you wanted change
But didn't want to pay
You've sold your soul, for nothing more
Than collision course**

**Get down low
And pray for death
Nothing can change the way you're feeling now
Looking for light at the darkest side of hell**

**Facing the fears I never knew I had
Burning dreams till there's nothing left
I've chased hope down the drain till there's nowhere left to go
I've left peace behind just to be alone**

2. Weightless Light

**What if one day, I don't wake up
And all I've hoped for, was not enough
If I stay sleepless, am I still here
Or have I succumb to, disappear**

As it becomes clear

**With my back against the wall
I'm trying to survive
But I still feel vulnerable
In this weightless light**

**Rip your fingers, from my throat
I think it's best if, you let go
Strung out on life and defeated by time
While I lie away, life passes by**

If now is the time

**With my back against the wall
I'm trying to survive
But I still feel vulnerable
In this weightless light**

**The weight upon my chest translates into my head
I try to breathe without a breath, but choke on what I've said
Do I deserve the silence that echoes endlessly
Drag me from the darkness of memory and misery**

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3. Dry Blood

Please, let me in

Your heart's where I call home

Under your skin

Is where I bury my soul

There's blood in the love that I crave

The type that will come with pain

Breathing new life into me is not the same

But maybe its how I'm reborn again

Brand new blood

Fills my lungs

An oath, that we take

Binds us to this life through fate

But nothing is safe

Even the strongest wounds break

Blood soaks the land that we love

Even when deaths not enough

It's my piece of mind that keeps me inside

Looking for balance in an unequal life

There's blood in the love that I crave

The type that will come with pain

Breathing new life into me is not the same

But maybe its how I'm reborn again

Brand new blood

Fills my lungs

So take, these bones, to break

But leave, my veins, in place

As blood drips off of my hands, it begins to dry

Hearts keep beating, blood keeps flowing

Sealing over time

4. Heartstopper

For everything you've told me, I know what it means

Thank you for entrusting in me

All that you've lived through, and all that you've seen

Has given me something to believe

Maybe it's time I open up my eyes

Maybe it's time I start to realize

There's darker things that weigh on my mind

But it's something I don't want to find

All the things I've told you, I had buried away

Were things that I'd wanted to say

My darkest of secrets, and things I'm ashamed

Have made us who we are today

You've been out dancing on thin ice (It's Suicide)

Russian roulette with your life (With no price)

Maybe your waiting to find (To find)

How long til you truly die

Breathe, slow, pretend that you're in control

Of all you feel

Wake, up, your heart is beating too slow

And the light's too close

Hold, on, the time is not yours to take

This I know

Maybe it's time I open up my eyes

Maybe it's time I start to realize

All that's here, never really lasts

But the future's never far from the past

You've been out dancing on thin ice (It's Suicide)

Russian roulette with your life (With no price)

Maybe your waiting to find (To find)

How long til you truly die

I'm shaking, I'm scared to death

That I'm losing, what's closest

But I'm waiting, I'm waiting this out

Till nothing, nothing's left but hell

I will still hold on

Until you can not

Until last beat of

When your heart stops

5. Old Silence

I felt betrayed by you, even double crossed

The trust I've put into, all that was lost

You held my hand in the flame, but I didn't feel a thing

You screamed in my face, with spitting rage

Lay waste

To all that we've created

Slow down

This life's not how you made it

I've been biting my tongue for too long, that I've struck blood

When my temper starts to speak, that's what really stings

You're biting at my hands, as I try to help a friend

You don't understand, that this is not the end

Lay waste

To all that we've created

Slow down

This life's not how you made it

My eyes are burning red now

And I can't breathe

Your hands are clenched and shaking

But we don't speak

You sealed your fate when you walked away

You disappeared when you sealed the page

Lay waste

To all that we've created

My eyes are burning red now

And I can't breathe

Your hands are clenched and shaking

But we don't speak

Old silence

Is all that's left between us

6. Clear The Air

**It's getting hard for you to see
What's really weighing down on me
I'm struggling to speak
And it's turning into screams
As our tempers start to grow
I fall into a place unknown
No reason for those words
That only leave us hurt**

**Losing faith in time
Has trailed by my side
Scratching at the dirt
Trying to be heard
Chasing after light
That's only losing fight
It's hard to say you're done
When nothing is enough**

**I think it's time we clear the air
Of all the tension that's in here
Chattering through teeth
Of all the fear that exposes me
Beyond the depths of all I've said
I'm holding what is left**

Cradled here in emptiness

Till everything is red

No use in forgiveness

When the damage isn't even done (Isn't even done)

I'm asking for darkness

I can't face the light that follows me (Light that follows me)

There's no higher power

Nothing that forces me to breathe (Forces me to breathe)

If one day I can't stay here

I only ask that you don't follow me

I left to breathe and find the place that humbles me

I came to see the pain of vulnerability

You're smashing your fist through all the walls you built up

To leave your battered hands with blood

7. Violent Nature

I look for reasons why I should stay

But I find more reasons to leave this place

Fear of my failure has kept me still

Like blood in the water, fresh from the kill

Maybe I've sacrificed, all that I had in life

Maybe all I've ever seen, and none of it was meant for me

What if I'm left behind

In my desolate, state of mind

I'd have nobody to tell

That I'm living life through a living hell

I'm hanging on, by a tattered thread

Tears at the seam, till nothings left

These things that I used to love

Have turned into hate, and deemed a crutch

Maybe I've sacrificed, all that I had in life

Maybe all I've ever seen, and none of it was meant for me

What if I'm left behind

In my desolate, state of mind

I'd have nobody to tell

**That I'm living life through a living hell
Violent by nature, but that's not me
I'm trying to change into what I seem
When my heart fades to black from red
Given the choice between life and death**

**The crimson light that fades on my eyes
Releasing demons that have held down my life
And when this view is into the unknown
I leave myself with nowhere to go**

**I'm staring at a mirror that's covered in cracks
A look at bad luck looking a back
My blurry vision starts to disappear
But now what I see, all becomes clear**

**I've desecrated all the things that I've touched
Fear of myself or fear to be loved
My thoughts and images are not looking well
I wanna send them all back to hell**

**These vacant bodies all fade away
New sense of freedom in a brand new state
My thoughts and images are not looking well
I wanna send them all back to hell**

8. As A Friend

You don't seek out comfort

You just avoid pain

The devil's in the details

As it drags you away

You've struggled with addiction

Because it runs in your blood

You said that you weren't like this

But that just means it's tough

These things they're not for you

It's just substance abuse

And as a friend, never again

I can't watch you chose, to die

I can still hear your voice

Like it was yesterday

Back when we were friends

And no one spoke of death

There's a darkness in your heart

As it courses through your veins

A lifetime in a moment

To all be taken away

These things they're not for you

It's just substance abuse

And as a friend, never again

I can't watch you chose, to die

You didn't die from suicide

But from a troubled mind

If I had the time

I would have said goodbye

I'd come as a friend

9. Our Greatest Weakness

**Is this the end, for you and me my friend
Our fading future, where I stand alone
There's no revival, just the weight we hold
I know it's too late, what's here is drained**

**If all I loved, was gone
And all I'd done, was wrong**

**Am I a failure, or did I succeed
Did I sacrifice, the greatest thing
I fear the day, that I will die
That I won't have spoken, what's on my mind**

**If all I loved, was gone
And all I'd done, was wrong
It still, won't change if it hurts
But first it might, get worse**

**Our greatest weakness, is the way that we love
A crushing defeat, that's bonded by blood
All that we fear, is the way that we'll cope
Holding out for, what's left of our hope**

I know it's too late, we're out of time, goodbye

But see you on the other side

Believe me, when I say it's been tough

Losing life in love, and let it fade to dust

I can't, be the only one

Who's afraid for death to come, when all my friends are gone

Please don't, leave before I say

How much you meant to me, and I'll cherish all these days

I wanted, so badly to be strong

But weakness was my flaw, and what could not be won, I lost

Our greatest weakness is love that we know

Our greatest weakness is love, for now