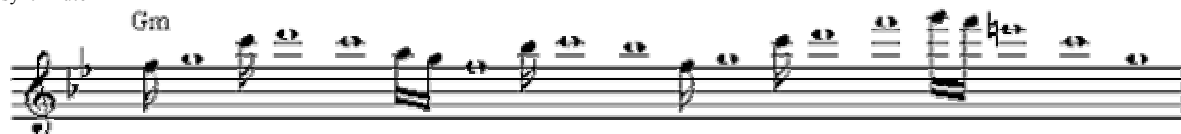


Shadowplay

synth flute



synth Glockenspiel



Gm

Hunched foetal in the corner of my soul
 My fingernails are bleeding from climbing up the wall
 This time you really hurt me right down to the core
 And I'm desperately trying to find a reason to forgive you for it all

Am

Em7

I saw your life as a shadowplay

Am

G

Dm

In a trance I was held by the shadowplay

Am

Em7

In the spell of the shadowplay

G Am

Em7

From Celtic illumination

G Am

Em7

I see the Celtic illumination

G Am

The Celtic

Gm

I never realized just how far we'd gone
 I turned around and all that I saw was distance

Bb

F/A

Bb

Through an anger that burned everytime

F/A

Gm

That someone mentioned your name

I should have noticed, should have read the signs
 we could have talked it out if there was a problem

Bb

F/A

It wasn't obvious then

Bb

F/A

Gm

But then it isn't really obvious now

Am

Em7

I saw your life as a shadowplay

Am G Dm
 In a trance I was held by the shadowplay
 Am Em7
 In the spell of the shadowplay
 G Am Em7
 From Celtic illumination
 G Am Em7
 I see the Celtic illumination
 G Am
 The Celtic

Gm
 I could have changed I could have settled down
 I could have been whatever you wanted me to be
 Bb F/A
 If you gave me the chance
 Bb F/A Gm
 But it seems that it's too late for that now

I thought I knew you thought we had it made
 I'd thought it out, thought I had the answers
 Bb F/A
 After all is said and done
 Bb F/A Gm
 The only thing I really know is your name

Bbm Fm7
 I sit and wait for the shadowplay
 Bbm Ab Ebm
 Let me in into the world of the shadowplay
 Bb, Fm
 I'll follow you to the shadowplay
 Ab Bbm Fm
 Through Celtic illumination
 Ab Bbm Fm
 Give me the Celtic illumination
 Ab Bbm
 Illumination

Gm

synth choir (repeat)



If I'd only had the patience, if I'd only had the time
 If I'd only known the moment when you'd chosen to decide
 If I'd only ever listened, if you'd only ever asked
 If I'd known it was important, if I'd known it wouldn't last

Run to the magic of, the magic of the shadowplay
 Run to the magic of, the magic of the shadowplay
 Run to the magic of, the magic of the shadowplay
 Run to the magic of, the magic of the shadowplay

Maybe if I'd noticed, maybe if I'd tried
 Maybe if I'd worked at it, it never would have died
 Maybe I was selfish, maybe I was blind
 Maybe I was in the wrong and you were in the right

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Could I have been a better man, was I really all to blame?
Was it me that was the problem, was it me that dealt the pain?
Did you never mean to hurt me, did you only try to show
That you really, truly loved me, that together we're alone?

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F Bbm

I see my life as a shadowplay
Bbm Ab Ebm
All around is the magic of shadowplay
Bbm Fm7 Ab Bbm
In the world of the shadowplay is where I belong
Fm Ab Bbm
Where all that I feared is how it is and will be
Fm
All that was hidden
Ab Bbm
Now you will see
Fm
All I could dream
Bbm
You'll find now is real
Fm
All I could touch
Bbm
Now you can feel
Fm
And the light that I follow
Ab Bbm
Is where the madness will end
Fm Ab Bbm
Illumination, illumination
Bbm
Shine on, shine on, shine on.