



Dark One's Lament (Daggersoul)

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A poem about Rumplestiltskin, Mr Gold, The Dark One

I like to pretend that Neal survived, so the poem isn't referencing a death. It's referencing a separation or injury or something like that.

Daggersoul, I feel its pull

Captured, bound to witch's rule
Weave, she commands, I obey
In the dark of my cell, night to day

Bae, I think, his voice I hear
Just as quickly it disappears
Feed the madness, I've no choice
Daggersoul, I hear your voice.

Cage left open, he takes control
Bae is free, no witches rule
No hope, no luck, no chance I fear
Just as quickly he disappears

Mind is back, madness gone
I howl my pitiful, lonely song
Feed the madness, I've no choice
How I wish to hear your voice

All magic comes with darkest price
With wickedness I must play nice
Weaver, spinner, he's no more
I'm not the man I was before

Trust me dearie, deals no more
I'm not the beast I was before
My lovely Beauty, I promise you
My song still rings, my heart is true

Daggersoul, I feel your pull
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Daggersoul, please hear my voice
This isn't me, I have no choice

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