

# Death with Dignity

Sufjan Stevens

Spirit of my silence I can hear you  
But I'm afraid to be near you  
And I don't know where to begin  
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Somewhere in the desert there's a forest  
And an acre before us  
But I don't know where to begin  
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Again I've lost my strength completely,  
oh be near me,  
Tired old mare with the wind in your hair  
Amethyst and flowers on the table,  
is it real or a fable?  
Well I suppose a friend is a friend  
And we all know how this will end  
Chimney swift that finds me, be my keeper  
Silhouette of the cedar  
What is that song you sing for the dead?  
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I see the signal searchlight strike me  
in the window of my room  
Well I got nothing to prove  
Well I got nothing to prove  
I forgive you, mother, I can hear you  
And I long to be near you  
But every road leads to an end  
Yes every road leads to an end  
Your apparition passes through me  
in the willows:  
Five red hens—you'll never see us again  
You'll never see us again

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