

Transcript from Last Shelter performance at Gothenburg

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0:05:58.3 Speaker 1: I wanna talk to you, I wanna be prepared, I wanna tell you something. I wanna look at your face, I wanna breathe with you. I wanna go into a swimming pool with you. I wanna go into a Sauna, I wanna be happier. I wanna breathe under water, I wanna never have to breathe again. I wanna be able to swim deep down into the depths of the sea. I wanna have one of those bulbs, that lights, that bring fish to you to eat. I wanna be like that. I don't wanna be like you, I wanna be holding hands, I wanna make you a dinner, I wanna make you a dinner, I wanna eat that dinner with you, I wanna go to bed, I wanna have a sleep over, I wanna get really drunk, I wanna do a lot of drugs. I wanna go out to the audience, I wanna hold your hand, I wanna be there, I wanna see what this is like. I wanna be with you, I wanna speak in other languages, I wanna speak all of the languages, I wanna have that to be a super power, I wanna be omni-linguistic, man.

0:06:40.4 S1: I want those things and I wanna be with you, and I wanna reach deep down into your heart, and I wanna pump the blood for you in a way that will help you, in a way that I will help myself. And I wanna be that for you. I wanna be wanting to wanting to wanting to have a reciprocal wanting back at me. I want all of the things in the world to be better. I want everything, I want the lights to be, I want me to be... I wanna be hotter, I wanna be taller, I wanna be more handsome. I wanna be a lot of things, and I wanna be happy with what I am, and I wanna have my elbows on the table as they are.

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0:09:56.5 S1: I was there before you, I'm here with you now and I'll be there when you go on. You'll be with me now, I will notice you there with me, before we were there together. We'll be moving together towards a point yet not known, we'll be moving together. You'll be with me, I'll be with you. We'll be going together, we will be going together towards where we're going, we're gonna go there together, we're gonna go there and we were going there from when we set out and we set out together. We will continue to be together. We're together right now, going here, going there together. I'm moving with you, I see you here with me. I feel you next to me, I was gonna see you before I remember to look. I'm aware that I see you now, and I feel you next to me. I felt you before.

0:10:43.3 S1: I felt your presence before, I've known you before. I've known you all the time, and I will always, always know you. I'll always be with you, in fact. I will always be you. I will be you. You will be... You'll be yourself. You are yourself right now, you be yourself and you will be yourself later. I'll be going with you, I'm with you now, and I was with you. I was with you from the beginning. I'll be going there. You'll be with me at the end. I'll be there with you at the end, I'll be there with you at the end, you'll be there with me at the end. You are the end. I'm the end with you right now. You were the beginning with me when we set out together and you'll be there with me now when we go on. We'll go on together. We will go together. We'll be there. You'll be with me, I'll be with you, we'll be going

together. We are going together. We are together where we're going. We're going together. We're there now. We're right where we are now. We're here now.

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0:13:03.3 Speaker 2: I wanna go, I wanna place myself in relation, I wanna be here, I wanna see the things in front of me and be them. I wanna be them, I wanna be them, not be myself. I wanna trip, I wanna hesitate when I want to. I want to want to want to do things. I wanna hold on, I wanna hold on and look at myself. I wanna see myself, I wanna see the flesh that I am, and I want you to face me. I wanna feel my breath inside and I wanna hear myself, I wanna hear the sound of my own voice and know that it's fine. I wanna be fine, I wanna be fine, I wanna be happy, and I wanna be free. I wanna be blue, and let the color around me just kind of absorb in. I wanna feel what it feels like to keep going, I wanna keep going and keep pressing into the button, which is this thing. I wanna hold on to something and let go. I wanna just burn it all behind me. I wanna be able to let my voice kind of drop down and sink down deeper inside myself, so I can just kind of feel that rumble time, like a sound of a washing machine. I wanna be inside something, I wanna feel the freedom of letting things move around me. I wanna move and I wanna keep going. I wanna press into the...

[vocalization]

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0:16:33.5 S2: I wanna be in a different place. I wanna put this knee down. I wanna put myself in a pocket of... I wanna put myself in a pocket. I wanna put things in my pockets and then take them out again and lay them out on the floor like pieces of paper. I wanna put them in a line and then watch all of myself just explode on top of them. I wanna read them upside down and then be able to synthesize that. I wanna press something really hard and then watch it evaporate and fall against something else, and then scream. I wanna scream really loud. I wanna be the right way up, I wanna push myself up, I wanna be down underneath the ground, and then push myself out of it. I wanna eject... I wanna be part of a printer screen, I wanna be part of something bigger than I am. I wanna have my own children, I wanna tell them stories, and then I wanna tell them stories backwards, and then put them into bed and watch them go to sleep. I wanna be asleep. I wanna have absolutely everything I've ever wanted and then never want anything else ever again. I want to lie down, I wanna speak louder, I wanna have my tea. I want it to be later, or I want it to be later in the day, and then I want it to be earlier again. I wanna wake up really early and go for a swim in a river, not in a swimming pool. I wanna never swim in a swimming pool ever again, I wanna be in natural water. I wanna eat salt, I wanna eat salty crisps and then spit them out and look at them.

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0:19:26.7 S3: It was more to be said, to be seen, to be underwhelmed and under the waterfall, of all the things that were happening. And we raised our hands up to the sky, and hoped that the light would touch our skin. And when it did, it wouldn't burn. It would be okay to feel okay, it'd be okay not to be okay. Everything would be okay and nothing would be knocked out, but everything would be

simpler, together, and more understanding, more transparent and translucent, and there was more space for you to feel everything that you felt. Inside of your nostrils, as the hair grows longer, and the chin of your mouth grows under the sea and into the bones of your fibers, the fibers that are wearing you, they're wearing you, they're worn on your skin, your skin is not your own. How can this be? How can we be together? How can we make sure that everything we know is truth? What is the truth? What's different between me and you, between you and I, between the eyes in my head and the eyes in your face, the face that you're seeing? Are we seeing the same thing or are we living the same life? Are we all living in the same dream, or is it just an unfolding of many things happening at the same time as we all stand there, watch the circle of our life go by and by and by. And you said goodbye to your friends this morning, but did you tell them that you love them? Did you slip over your words as you told your truth? Your truth that unveiled inside of you. How will you know?

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Anna: I want to take over I want to take over I want to feel the press of you I want to go out I want to eat Turkish I want to feel my heart in my gut I see the light I see the light I want to go deeper I want to breathe I want to lick lick lick ice cream I want to look up at you I want to look up at your eyes to get bigger bigger bigger