From: “Next to Normal”

I'm Alive

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Moderately bright rock \( \frac{d}{=} \) = 160

Rhythmic Guitar progression

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F(9)  C2  F(9)  F  G  G7sus/F  G  

cloSER...  I am more than mem-

G7sus/F  C2  G  G7sus/F  G  G7sus/F  

- o - ry, I am what might be, I am mys-

Dsus  C2  Dsus  C2  Dsus  C2  Dsus  

know me,  so show me.  When

C(9)  A  A7sus  G/D  

I ap-pear it's not so clear if I'm a sim-

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Bouncy

B7  C  F/C  C

-it or I'm flesh and blood... But I'm a-

G  C2  G  C2  G  C2

live, I'm a-live, I am so a-live, and I feed on the fear that's behind your eyes. And I need you to need me, it's no surprise. I'm a-

G  C/G  C

live... So a-live...
I'm alive.

I am flame and I am fire, I am destruction, decay, and desire.

I'll hurt you... I'll heal you...
I'm your wish, your dream come true, and I am

your darkest nightmare too. I've shown you...

I own you.

And

though you made me, you can't

Half-time feel
Tempo I

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So alive... I'm alive.

I'm right behind you.

You say forget, but I remind you.

You can try to hide, you know.
that I will find you.

'Cause if you won't grieve me,
you won't leave me behind...

Oh aah ooh wah whoa

sub. (falsetto)
G5    G7sus  |  G5    G7sus  |  G7

whoa   |   no, no. no. I'm a -

G    C2    G    C2    G    C2

live, I'm a-live, I am so a-live, if you climb on my back, then we both _

dfsus    C2    G    C2    G    C2

can fly. If you try to de-ny me, I'll nev-er die. I'm a -

G    C/G

live... So a-live...
Gsus I'm a - live... Yeah...

Dsus C2 Dsus C2

Dsus C2 Dsus G5 G7sus/F G5

G7sus/F C G5 G7sus/F G5 G7sus/F C

I'm a - live... I'm a - live...

G7sus/F C G5 G7sus/F C

G5 G7sus/F G5 G7sus/F C G5

G5 G7sus/F G5 G7sus/F G5 G7sus/F C