

# Halsey, The Tradition

[Verse 1]

Oh, the loneliest girl in town  
Is bought for pennies a price  
We dress her up in lovely gowns  
She's easy on the eyes  
Her soul is black and it's a fact  
That her sneer will eat you alive  
And the buyer always brings her back  
Because all she does is cry

[Chorus]

So take what you want, take what you can  
Take what you please, don't give a damn  
Ask for forgiveness, never permission  
Take what you want, take what you can  
Take what you please, don't give a damn  
It's in the blood and this is tradition  
Ooh-oooh

[Verse 2]

Oh, the loneliest girl in town  
Was bought for plenty a price  
Well, they dress her up in golden crowns  
His smile hides a lie  
She smiles back, but it's a fact  
That her fear will eat her alive  
Well, she got the life that she wanted  
But now all she does is cry

[Chorus]

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[Bridge]

You can't take it back, it's good as gone  
Well, flesh amnesiac, this is your song  
And I hope what's left will last all summer long  
And they said that boys were boys, but they were wrong

[Chorus]

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[Outro]

(It's good as gone)