

# THE STORYFORMEDWAY

## THE LUST, THE FLESH, THE EYES AND THE PRIDE OF LIFE

*Extending the Dialogue—Storyformed Way Week 1: Beginnings and Separation*

Well, I feel  
Like I have to feel  
Something good all of the time  
With most of life I cannot deal  
But a good feeling I can feel  
Even though it may not be real  
And if a person, place or  
thing can deliver  
I will quiver with delight  
But will it last me  
for all my life  
Or just one more lonely night

The lust, the flesh  
The eyes  
And the pride of life  
Drain the life  
Right out of me

Well, I see something  
and I want it  
Bam! Right now!  
No questions asked  
Don't worry how much it  
costs me now or later  
I want it and I want it fast  
I'll go to any length  
Sacrifice all that I already have  
And all that I might get  
Just to get  
Something more that I don't need  
And Lord, please don't  
ask me what for

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And I love when folks  
Look right at me  
And what I'm doing  
Or have done  
And lay it on about  
How groovy I am  
And that I'm looking grand  
And every single word  
Makes me think I'll live forever  
Never knowing that they probably  
Won't remember what  
they said tomorrow  
Tomorrow I could be dead

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**Which lyrics of this song's impacted you most?**

**What part of the Story we heard today are you reminded of?**

**What thoughts come to mind after hearing the 3<sup>rd</sup> verse?**