

HOPING HARDER

The light is out
frozen my chamber
I must confess
silent I fell
The earth below
turquoise and amber
now all is night
no stories to tell

**Hoping, hoping harder
use that open door
make responding smarter
cherish, cherish more**

My child of light
of stardust from death
and me in hide
not worthy my breath
So who am I?
A ruler of kings?
To let it die
deny you your wings?

refrain

To pass it on
life in the garden
the soil, the souls
don't let them harden
hold it, hold it high

refrain x 2

(2. time "working" instead of "hoping")