A Battle's End

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The ground is barren

Our comrades have fallen.

The sky is dampened by sweat and sorrow

And tainted crimson

The silence of the dead

And pain of the dying

The regret of the abandoned living

Thicken the air enveloping our aura of solitude

The solitude we share

With you, I have watched a nightmare unfurl its fury

With me, you have seen a familiar world collapse behind an opaque horizon

Like the sun, it has welcomed darkness after its fall

But it envies the sun...

As it longs

To rise again.

In a day that never will be.

Last vows were made

And much blood was spilt

Screams had echoed

And fled with the dust

And yet we stand

As the rampage pursues

Here we stand

As the world resumes its motion

As broken spirits precede broken dreams

And broken homes leave broken hearts

Yet we are strong

At the brink of all sanity

As the foundation of all hope crumbles

Though I am still standing

I have seen no victory

Unless victory is with you

We have bled

And we have suffered

But we have not died.

We have worried then.

We can worry no more.

As we continue to stand at the battle's end.