

STONEHENGE



Midnight black where she lay down
Now white above the ancient plain
Comes diamond light
Around her face
So beautiful and rare it is
To see the rise and fall
Of her slow breath upon the earth
Against the stone and empty sky
In that cathedral of dreams.

Inspired by *Tess*, a 1979 romance film directed by Roman Polanski, an adaptation of Thomas Hardy's 1891 novel *Tess of the d'Urbervilles*, with Nastassja Kinski playing Tess.

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Tess is captured sleeping at Stonehenge.