How They Eat Me

I know how you see me

And I know how you'll eat me

The hungry look in your eyes is just like the others

I am the fool pig who built the house of straw

And as your tear my home to shreds

I can only think about how it's my fault

Every incident of this is my fault

I tip the dominoes

I blow at the card house

I dangle the food in front of the rabid dog

Why am I always surprised that they bite

Surprised that the wasps come when I play in there nest

Maybe I'm immune to there venom

Maybe I am strong enough this time

I am not

I never am

Everytime it tears me apart

Everytime I'm left alone trying to sort through the shattered glass

Trying to find me

But I know that I am no longer here

The husk that you eat is no longer me

I have been destroyed by those who came before you

All that remains of me is my ghost

Left to wonder if I really taste that good