

## **To Kiss A Scorpion's Tail**

is to know that it shines brightest in the darkness.

Under the UV light,  
mosquitoes and moths feed on flesh and cloth.

I wish I was a child.

I would play with sequin shirts and dance scorpions on sticks.

I knew no fear of the world.

I will never kiss a Scorpio.

I am the grasshopper that is eaten whole.