

embercoal **‘Shattered Mirror’**

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(UN)HAPPY POST-HARDCORE SPARKING YOUR INNER BLAZE

We make music with purpose, loudly screaming for fairness, equanimity, and respect for humans and the whole of planet earth.

**The fires of our past musical lives are
the foundation of our future flames.**

Relatable stories told from diverse
perspectives through heavy music,
igniting new flames of connection.

embercoal is

Kiki (vocals, former Vampyrice),
Caro (bass, former The Art of Dark),
Fabi (guitar, former Empty Home), and
Christoph (drums, former Empty Home).

The post-hardcore quartet was founded in
December 2023 in Dortmund, Germany.

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Third single 'Shattered Mirror' is out on
January 10th, 2025 on [Spotify](#), [YouTube](#),
and all streaming platforms.

Open for booking in 2025!

Band photos by Michelle Serindag.
Live photos by Marvin Rudnik.



embercoal's third single is a ballad about love and mental health struggles.

embercoal - 'Shattered Mirror'

Memories give me shivers still
Of when I once drove down the hill
The second that I saw her smile
I fell so deep, I felt so high

A fairytale of broken minds
Bleeding hearts and dying lights
The story of how she'll never see
What she really meant to me

While I wonder why she's gone
She's never really gone
(My mind's her home)

There's no reflection in a shattered mirror
And that's how she'll never see
The beauty in her soul
Her darkest demons shatter every mirror
She's so afraid of what could be
And now she'll never know

I lay to rest all hopes and dreams
Her smile has vanished she's asleep
Frozen by the tides of time
What I imagined to be mine

Ran through my fingers like black sand
A broken hourglass in hand
The story of how she'll never see
What she really meant to me

While I wonder why she's gone
She's never really gone
My mind's her home

There's no reflection in a shattered mirror
And that's how she will never see
The beauty in her soul
Her darkest demons shatter every mirror
She's so afraid of what could be
And now she'll never know

I'll forever roam the darkness
Look for answers everywhere
Keep fighting my way | back | to | her

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And that's how she'll never see
The beauty in her soul
Her darkest demons shatter every mirror
She's so afraid of what could be
And now she'll never know





embercoal's second single was the first song they wrote together as a band.

embercoal - 'Spineless'

Ready to be put to rest?

The tide is in and it's rough out here
I'm in way over my head
All bridges burnt, nobody out there
I hang on to the last thread

Severed from the rest
My head just can't connect
Spineless like I am

Was not our moon but it made waves
Try not to lose myself at bay
It's easier to talk the phrases
But not as much to walk the paces
Are you ready to be put to rest?

No ground to stand, no future in sight
Run away from my numb brain
No words to say, so much inside
I stare at this blank space again

Severed from the rest
My head just can't connect
Spineless like I am

Was not our moon but it made waves
Try not to lose myself at bay
It's easier to talk the phrases
But not as much to walk the paces

Our three-hundred-year-old tree
Was chopped down in front of me
Our three-hundred-year-old tree
Fallen in your silent sea

Was not our moon but it made waves
Try not to lose myself at bay
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Finally we lay in rest





embercoal's debut single was released independently by the band on August 2nd, 2024.

embercoal - 'Cult Of Merit'

Greener, greener pastures, greener
Thicker, thicker waters, thicker

This is for the eaters, and the prayers, and the lovers
This is for the hustlers and the hardship overcomers
Also for the hypocrites
and the toxic positives

No time, failure is near
No joy without ordeal

Working hard is not enough
Keep on going, prove your worth
You're too blind to see the mirror
Check yourself and all your freedoms
When this life comes to a close
From your death bed the report
Will there be peace
Behind your façade

This is for the teachers, yes the gurus and the
prophets
This is for the schemers and the influencer posers
Also for the narcissists
and the toxic masculines

Not all chances are real
Not all the paths are clear

Look further than the mirage
Good things come to those who try

Greener, greener pastures, greener
Thicker, thicker waters, thicker

Dreaming large is not enough
Keep on going, soon you'll score
You're too blind to see distinctions
Check your privilege and reason
When this world comes to a stop
The full ERs will report
There is no peace
Behind the façade

