

edison red book

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sleep

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The emotions I feel
are like raging ocean waves
I bottle them up
deep inside a cage
Hidden in the dark
keeping them from light
burying them from light

No matter what I do
When things are a little too much
They shine their own light
making me wanna run
making me wanna flee

But they continue to chase me
Never letting go
Never letting me free
They're always right there
ready to drown me

Always haunting my dreams
Always ready from when
I wake up from my sleep.





Shelby Maple playing
"Sleep" by My Chemical Romance
on guitar



Ryan Summerlin

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The Edison Red Book is for any Edison student in grades 9 – 12.



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Several things inspired Ms. Meyer's creation of the Edison Red Book:

- ❖ Aubrey Beardsley's *The Yellow Book*
- ❖ Self-published "zines" that she read in college
- ❖ A similar project Ms. Williams has done with seniors
- ❖ A session at an ILF conference about a library teen artist-in-residence program
- ❖ A desire to give creative students a tangible outlet for their work

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