438-1000 I really tried

I tried i really tried
At least that's what i think
It's been several thousand days
Since i had a drink
But secretly i wish that i could
Open the bottle wide
The pain sometimes so searing
You'd still believe me if i lied
And watching you put on a buzz
This truth i must confide
But i'll remain the sober one
For the drunks i do deride
And i tried, i really tried

I tried i really tried
At least that's what i say
But the deepest darkest truths
Can be the hardest to convey
But secretly i wish i could
The truth in you confide
About a life in the abyss
About all who have died
And you could see my heart explode
My soul would open wide
And then i could truly embrace
This crazy fuckin' ride
And i tried, i really tried

I tried i really tried
At least that's what i believe
And yes i understand that no one
Gets one more reprieve
But secretly i wish i could
To all my bliss abide
And often i have wished for peace
And often i have cried
And someday i will make a choice
I'll be forced to decide
But for now i'll dance upon
The ever shifting tide
And i tried, i really tried