

# American Dreaming (Live at the Mayfair Theatre)

## Dead Can Dance

I need my conscience to keep watch over me  
To protect me from myself  
So I can wear honesty like a crown on my head  
When I walk into the promised land We've been too long American dreaming  
And I think we've all lost the way  
Like some somnambulistic maniacal in the dark I'm in love with an American girl  
Well, she's my best friend  
I love her surreptitious smile  
That hides the pain within her And we'll go dancing beside desert waters  
Where love is so wastefully spent  
And dine upon the crumbs of faith  
Most lovers often reject Spare a thought for the unfortunate man  
Who must choose between love and desire We've been too long American dreaming  
I think we've all lost the way  
Like some somnambulistic maniacal in the dark

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