

# The Carnival Is Over

## Dead Can Dance

Outside, the storm clouds gathering  
Moved silently along the dusty boulevard  
Where flowers turning crane their fragile necks  
So they can in turn, reach up and kiss the sky  
They are driven by a strange desire  
Unseen by the human eye  
Someone is calling  
I remember when you held my hand  
In the park we would play  
When the circus came to town  
Over here  
Outside, the circus gathering  
Moved silently along the rain swept boulevard  
The procession moved on the shouting is over  
The fabulous freaks are leaving town  
They are driven by a strange desire  
Unseen by the human eye  
Someone is calling  
The carnival is over  
We sat and watched  
As the moon rose  
For the very first time

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