

# Living with Unemployment

## Newtown Neurotics

I was living in a new town, I had problems with my parents  
So I moved on up to London town  
Where they said that things were all happening, going down

Living in a bedsit  
Bunking the tube trains  
Sleeping all day long  
And you know no one 'cos you don't go out  
'Cos you've got no work  
You just watch television  
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I, I ain't got a job and there's no work in the city  
They, they always try to blame it on the blacks  
But it's really those in power who stab you in the back

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Well, 'round our way, we ain't got a lot  
But after two years on the dole, I felt I'd been left to rot  
But now I've joined the Army and, believe it or not  
I'm going to Northern Ireland and I'm going to get shot

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Living with unemployment, it gets so frustrating  
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And the Neurotics wanna tell you, what it's like to be  
Unemployed, out of work, unemployed, out of work  
Unemployed, out of work, unemployed, out of work  
Unemployed, out of work, unemployed, out of work  
Unemployed, unemployed, unemployed, unemployed  
"Try to stay, out of trouble, dear"

And it's lonely for you  
And it's lonely for me  
And it's lonely for all of us, can't you see?

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When you're out of work, they treat you like dirt  
I said, when you're out of work, they treat you like dirt  
I said, when you're out of work, they treat you like dirt  
Oh, when you're out of work, they treat you like dirt  
They treat you like dirt, they treat you like dirt  
They treat you, they treat you, oh, oh, they treat you  
Well, they treat you like dirt, they treat you like dirt  
When you're out of work, they treat you like dirt

It's all part of the plan  
Part of the plan (x7)  
We are the scroungers (the scroungers) (x4)  
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