The Ballad of a Mix Tape

Comet Gain

And as we read, the world written in red Luminous language and what was said

Our future's terminal and anything good will doWe will do it today and then throw it awayAnd these are the records

These are the friends

These are the monuments

Dreams never end

Fans and scrappy cassette sounds

Pagan ampex spectral clouds

Something is missing

Something is missingUnwilling to bend our knees

But willing to burst into flame

In Washington state or Newcross Gate

Always remember the failures

Always remember and tell us when you do

Tell us when you doA stereo's as cheap as it takes

Our bookshelves full of mixtapes

Of punk and soul and damaged rock 'n roll

The Go-Betweens and Supremes

And the Chills and the DillsSomething is missing

Something is missing

Remember the lost bands that never had a hope

Checks and Credits by Toulouse

It was scratchy, it was great

Unseen history of these bands

Like a building built on fertile land

But I own that fanzine and the 45s

And I promise not to let them dieAnd in the skin of the world

We're like a heartbeat

Our rotten teeth like cobblestones

In the pathway of forgotten things

Haunted all our favorite bars

And nurtured hard our daydream scarsSomething is missing

Something is missingChange of river, running back to the sea

Detour this to the heart of the dream

Thank you, that guitar (?) to words

Amplify tears and rusty badges

Fingerprint photograph smudgesOur mixtapes are memories for unseen histories

And mixtapes are memories for unseen histories

What means the most to you, it means the most to me
What means the most to you, it means so much to meAnd something is missing
Something is missingI put my tongue in my mouth

A bit of black tooth comes out

This happens monthly

Rotten footsteps to goodbyeWe found this out in the underground And we felt so proud to be on the groundAnd something is missing

> And something is missing And something is missing And something is gone

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