## **Opium**

## **Threshold**

Lost in the haze so far away how can we get back home

Lost in the haze so far away who's going to guide us homeI've struggled to get near it to backwards engineer it

But all I find is a smoke and mirrors game

The recondite monopolies the airwaves

Till all believe there is no other wayAnd this is how we live our lives our opium is televised Till finally they watch us fade awayOur lifeless generation is going to the wall

A languid demonstration of daze before a fall

A preconceived condition imagined long ago

But will we ever know all that lies belowThey'll print it on the front page to synthesis an outrage

But all we find is a decoy once again

Duplicity and trickery surround us

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But will we ever know all that lies belowWaiting to play are we the pawns in this game

Paving the way watching the kings make their claim

Martyrs and spies although we don't realize

Falling away under the watch of their eyesThis is the way we've chosen to be

This is the road that we go down

As clear as the day but still we don't see

We'll only know when it's overLost in the haze so far away how can we get back home Lost in the haze so far away who's going to guide us homeAnd this is how our nation died our opium has satisfied

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