Harness Your Hopes

Pavement

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On just one person

Because you know a harness

Was only made for oneDon't telegraph your passes

You'll end up with molasses

Cauterized in syrup

And syrup and molassesAnd I'm checking out the asses

The assets that attract us

To anything that moves

We're deep inside the groovesAnd it's time to shake the rations

'Cause someone's gonna cash in

The plot it turns again

The reference starts at tenWell, show me

A word that rhymes with pavement

And I won't kill your parents

And roast them on a spitAnd a-don't you try to etch it

Or permanently sketch it

Or your gonna catch a bad, bad coldAnd the freaks have stormed the white house

I moved into a lighthouse

It's on a scenic quay

It's, oh, so far awayFar away from the beginning

The shroud is made of linen

The yearling took the purse

The goth kid has a hearseHeart breaking

Earth quaking

Kiwis they are home baking

Minds wide open trulyLeisure

A leisure suit is nothing

It's nothing to be proud of

In this late centuryAnd I'm asking you to hold me

Just like the morning paper

Pinched between your pointer

Your index and your thumbIt's a semi-automatic

Believers are ecstatic

You see the way they cling

The cold metallic stingAnd I'm living in a coma

For Donna de Varona

The harness made of hopes

The lovers on the ropesNun is to church
As the parrot is to perch
And my heart's
Wide open Truly

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