

# Inch Away

## The Neurotics

Waoh-oh-waoh

She's finally gone, it has taken her so long  
But the beatings went on and he started on the kids  
She thought the thing through, picked them up from school  
Then fled into the night

She was so scared she was paralysed  
He held a knife, an inch away from her face, fa-a-a-a-ace

He'd break down and cry and beg forgiveness once again  
But she'd heard all those lies, far too many times  
She'd make herself look good like any girl would  
The makeup hides the scars

She was so scared she was paralysed  
He held a knife, an inch away from her face, a-a-a-a-ace  
Yeah, an inch away from her face, a-a-a-a-ace

Well, times are hard, without money spent on booze  
You can't call the police, you know, there is nothing they can do  
It's domestic you see and anyway,  
Who the hell do you think they'd believe?  
She said I've got to go, I'm not safe in my home  
But what the hell's it like out there?

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Yeah, an inch away from her face, a-a-a-a-ace  
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The holiday snaps don't tell the truth  
The good times, they will haunt you  
But they were so few

She's finally gone, it has taken her so long  
But the beatings went on and he started on the kids

A beautiful girl of fourteen years  
How the hell could he harm her?

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He held a knife, an inch away from her face, fa-a-a-a-ace  
Yeah, an inch away from her face, fa-a-a-a-ace  
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The blade wasn't used  
But they were both stabbed through the heart  
By the cold, icy chill of a thought  
That this was just the start  
The beginning of the end

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