Back In The Day

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They day I mugged an old lady was the day that ruined my life
I was in a big gang of skinheads, they were very good friends of mine
We were thick, thick as three planks of wood
And we did it just because we could

The night I pissed on a mattress was a moment of disbelief
When I woke up cold in the morning, she didn't look happy with me
And I fell into bed like a stone
I wet the bed, oh, but at least I got home

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The day I punched you in Harrods was a day that I won't forget
I was removed by a man and a woman, I was totally out of my head
And I'm sorry I acted that way
But all of it was back in the day

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The day I threw up in a matchbox was bizarre beyond any doubt
I'd been at a bottle of Teachers, I was trying not to let it flow out
I was drunk, but with OCD
What on earth was the matter with me?

So here I am, and I'm soft as green
And I'm still living my improbably dream
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