## Salinas (BBC 6Music Acoustic Session 2011)

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I am from Salinas where the women go forever
And they never ever to stop to ask why
My mother was a saviour of six foot of bad behaviour
With long, blond curly hair down to her thighOh my mother
Oh my friends

Ask the angels "Will I ever see heaven again?" Late into the evening, they would take each other screaming Looking darkly to the back of her eyeThe careless beast was bleating that the air behind was breathing That they musn't ever look up to the skyThere are no answers

There are found

Ask the angels, "Am I heaven-bound?"
"Oh am I heaven-bound?"Put it down to me

I, who speak awkwardly

Any word, if it is heard, is not intended to be

Not for them, not for her

Not for him, and not for meOh and that gun would turn before the sun starts to burn, understandWhen the clouds roll in, we start paying for our sins

With a gun in my hand and my sun at my shoulder

Believe I will run before that boy gets olderOh and that gun would turn before the sun starts to burn, understand Oh and that gun would turn before the sun starts to burn, understandI am from Salinas where the women go

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"Will I ever see even again?"

"Will I ever see even again?"Punish them all, for they speak too much Hate the world for what it did to usWill I ever see heaven again?

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