King of the Mountain

Midnight Oil

Walking through the high dry grass

Pushing my way through slow

Yellow belly black snake sleeping on a red rock

Waiting for the stranger to goSugar train stops at the crossing

Cane cockies cursing below

Bad storm coming

Better run to the top of the mountainMountain in the shadow of light

Rain in the valley below

Mountain in the shadow of light

Rain in the valley belowWell, you could say you're Peter

Say you're Paul

Don't put me up on your bedroom wall

Call me king of the mountainBlacksmith fires up the bellows

Cane cutters burning the load

Workers of the world

Run to the top of the mountainMountain in the shadow of light

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Say you're Paul

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Call me king of the mountainWell, I can't take the hands from my face There are some things we can't replace, yeahMountain in the shadow of light

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Call me the king of the mountainOver liquid tarmac wastelands of cactus and heat

Down cobblestone alleyways of washing day sheets

Up ghost prairie mountains of sunset and spaceDown the road, a familiar place, across the wilderness

Out further than the bush, I will follow you

I will follow you, I will follow you

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