

Twisted

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Skyrocketing gas prices,
Another Mideast crisis.
Life is full of surprises -
Self-destructive devices Racial hatred without end;
Bigots up around the bend.
Every word's meant to offend.
They get back just what they send. "We're not crazy!" we insisted.
"We're not crazy! We're just twisted." Someone turned the screws too tight;
Since then, she hasn't been right.
Can't shake free of this stage fright;
Can't escape the coming night. Seems all she does is complain
About her bleak world of pain.
Too emotionally drained
To step outside and go insane. "I'm not crazy!" she insisted.
"I'm not crazy! I'm just twisted." Nuclear time bomb's ticking;
Hate-filled world ripe for picking.
Cheap patches aren't sticking;
Patients screaming and kicking. We've come so far from the Garden;
Let our hearts and minds harden.
No amnesty, no pardon -
We're too far from the Garden. "We're not crazy!" we insisted.
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"I'm not crazy! I'm just twisted." Satan winks and we shiver;
Black arrows in his quiver.
He shouts, "Stand and deliver!"
Dark taker, not a giver. Where did we make that wrong turn?
Who let Heaven's road map burn?
Is there time for us to learn
Our Father's perfect pattern? "We're not crazy!" we insisted.
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