## **Apogee**

## **Jethro Tull**

Sailing round the true blue sphere

Is it too late to bale out of here?

Well, there has to be some better way

To turn back the night, spin on to yesterdayThe old man and his crew

After all these years, it's apogee

Pilot training and remorse

Spirit friends fly too, at apogee

ApogeeApogee, solar bright

Apogee through the night, night, night

Apogee, overground

Don't think, I'll be coming downScreened for a stable mate

With nerves of ice we flew at apogee

No creativity allowed

To pass through stainless veins of steel at apogee

ApogeeApogee, put the kettle on

Tight lipped, soldier on, on, on

High point, communicate

Don't forget to urinateSo glad they put this window in

How to explain, how to begin?

Mr.Tennyson and Wordsworth there

Waiting for me in the cold, thin airBeware a host of unearthly daffodils

Drifting golden, turned up loud

Turned up loudThe wrong stuff's loose in here

I'm climbing up the walls at apogee

So hoist the skull and bones

Death and glory's free at apogee

ApogeeApogee, solar bright

Apogee through the night

Apogee, overground

Don't think, I'll be coming downA stranger wind, a solar breeze

I'm walking out upon the starry seas

See pyramids, see standing stones

Pink cotton undies and blue telephonesGoodbye, cruel world that was my home and oh

There's cleaner space out here to roam

Put my feet up on the moons of Mars

Sit back, relax and count the stars Two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight

Seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty, twenty-one

Twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, thirty

Thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five

Thirty-six, thirty-seven, thirty-eight, forty Forty-one, forty-two, forty-three, forty-four

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