

Self-Inflicted Extinction

Behind Enemy Lines

The human race is committing self-inflicted extinction
Our actions are leading us down the path to annihilation
 Our apathy is sealing our fate
 We won't care until it's too late
Once we're nearing extinction then we'll finally learn
 that there's no turning back from our lack of concern
 We're killing entire species of animals
We're contaminating the oceans with our poisons and our chemicals
 When will we learn?
Our actions are leading us down the path to annihilation
We're clear-cutting the landscapes with massive deforestation
We're overburdening the planet with the human population
 When will we learn?
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Once the natural resources are gone and the forests are uprooted
 Once the air is unbreathable and the water is all polluted
Once we've scorched the planets surface and the food will no longer grow
 Once the ecosystem's been destroyed, where are we going to go?
The world is not a waiting room until some fictitious after-life resumes
 our role as infestations where we continue to consume
We don't have access to another world where we can just move on
This planet's our only chance at life and once it's been destroyed it's gone
 The radioactive waste we dump will outlast generations
We elect the plunderers of the habitat who kill environmental legislation
 When will we learn?
Our actions are leading us down the path to annihilation
We're killing off everything in sight for our comfort and convenience
We're destroying all possibilities for continuing our existence
 When will we learn?
Our actions are leading us down the path to annihilation
 Look around, what do you see?
 Our very nature is destroying humanity
 It isn't the earth that needs our saving or help
 It will survive to see us bury ourselves

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