B.U.R.M.A

Dirty Pretty Things

I know that you're out there

Born ready, but on the decline

To keep you from my thoughts

When we first broke the lineDo you remember like I remember?

Lost pursuits of excellence

The glory of the crownLives of imperialists

Leave me with aching wrists

So no wonder you frown

When you're two world wars downSo when the dark times come

Well, I will sing you a good time song

I'm pretending that it's ending

But it kills me to act so strong

Just to gaze in your eyes

Makes all the difference to meJust be ready my angel

Be ready when I call

I've been re reading letters

They were moving warm but bitter

And I cried right through them allOoh, ooh

The days go so slow

Ooh, ooh

We'll never get to heaven

With the artillery in towSo when the dark times come

It might warm your heart to know

That I went to the crossroads

But the devil never showedThey can stick their war

I'm leaving now

It makes no difference to meI'm hoping if you know where I am

Send your heart in a telegram

I'm praying that you know where I amBe upstairs, ready my angel

Be ready when I call

And then my angel I'll be ready too

And I will catch you when you fallDo you remember like I remember

All the dirty things you said?

Do you remember like I remember

Or was it all in my head? So when the dark times come

Well, I will song you a good time song

I'm pretending that it's ending

But it kills me to act so strong

To gaze in your eyes

Makes all the difference to meSo, who's got the clap Who's got the clap Give yourself a clap now

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