Midnight Passenger

Common Rider

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I stepped out on a celluloid night that flickered on a black and white reel Looking for something that I could not explain I could only feel These were the songs upheld by the shades that spoke to me as I left town Israelites, The Harder they Come, 54-47* I hear them now And the words of the prophets never sounded as good as the echo of a hard one drop To be forever enslaved by a sound the creator made- don't let it stopCome again, midnight passenger There to accompany down To the end of the souls tlost avenue Feel it nowI kept walking in the dust all night Looking for a diamond in the crush Halfway under in bars like a shop that was going down-or coming up It was not the sun that stung, but the feel of loss and the voice of suffering and fate Till I just stopped listening to the chatter of all those yesterdays- crime paysWe will show up with all our secret problems and even if we can't find land There's a tone written into soul songs that understands we will be free

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