Who We Are

Bad Religion

It's cold again, it looks like rain
A procession of humanity, strikingly simian
Saunters by, I can't explain
Why it's troubling to see them soOh, better than who we are with mania
And yearning for and learning from
Oh, better than holiness and candy aisles
Of loneliness and sweet revengeA cigarette, a memory
All connections to the permanent are burning

The pedestal gets in the way

And cannot withstand our honest scrutinyOh, better than who we are with mania

Or standing for or dead against

Oh, better than holiness and candy aisles

Of loneliness and sweet revengeDo you feel the chill of December, in the rioting of Spring?

And are we made of something better than clay?

A leap, a fight, a secret rite

The lonely quest for meaning and the universe is dreaming ohOh, better than who we are with mania

And yearning for and learning from

Oh, better than holiness and candy aisles

Of loneliness and sweet revenge, oh, sweet revenge

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