

The Powers That Be (feat. Paul Carrack)

Roger Waters

The powers that be
They like a tough game
No rules
Some you win, some you lose
Competition's good for you
They're dying to be free
They're the powers that be
They like a bomb proof cadillac
Air conditioned, gold taps,
Back seat gun rack, platinum hub caps
They pick horses for courses
They're the market forces
Nice car Jack
They like order, make-up, lime light power
Game shows, rodeos, star wars, TV
They're the powers that be
If you see them come,
You better run - run
You better run on homeSisters of mercy better join your brothers
Put a stop to the soap opera right now
They say the toothless get ruthless
You better run on homeYou better run, run
You better run on homeThe powers that be
They like treats, tricks, carrots and sticks
They like fear and loathing, they like sheep's
clothing
And blacked-out vansBlacked-out vans, contingency plans
They like death or glory, they love a good story
They love a good storySisters of mercy better join with your brothers
Put a stop to the soap opera state
They say the toothless get ruthless
Run home before its too late
You better run - run
You better run on home

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