## **Black Sky**

## **Sam Phillips**

The trees are listening
Each time a missile's made
They hide three mystics

The earth sends from her graveTo tell us the future has been stolen away

By diggers, drillers and sellers

We won't stop till we're underneath the black skyHe took my picture

In the cemetery sun

My body was tempted

To crumble into oneReunion of dust until creation's done

Returning ashes to ashes

We won't stop till we're underneath the black skyLa, la, la

La, la, la

La, la, laThe commerce the intrigue

Self-slaughtered souls

Cry out to dead poor men

For a drink at the water holeTheir tongues will burn dry

As the day they were sold for forests

Raped into deserts

We won't stop till we're underneath the black skyLa, la, la

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