Too Many Clues In This Room

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The space shuttle ends where the subway begins

There's a tear on the face of the moon

From dusk until dawn they have searched all day long

But there's too many clues in this roomAt best it is said we've been locked deep inside

Of an old sea mans chest full of charts

Where maps are contained and what's left of his brains

When his crew threw his balls to the sharksAll around the looking glass dancing to a tune

Sweeping out the house with a fine tooth comb

Which history's shown leads to guin In a word it is said that at times we must fall

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But the worst of it all was the lies

We died for the cause just like regular outlaws

In the dust of an old lawman's eyesIn times best forgot there was peace there was not In her pains Mother Earth came to bloom

Her children were born in the eye of the storm

And there's too many clues in this roomThe power that is stored in the no mans land of chance

Is the someone who knows what they're doin'

The old soldiers say in they're own crusty way

We've got too many troops in this roomAll around the looking glass dancing to a tune Sweeping out the house with a fine tooth comb

Which history's shown leads to ruinThe space shuttle ends where the subway begins
Praise the Lord there's a train leavin' soon
From dusk until dawn they have searched all day long
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