

# Young Without Lovers

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Better take a look at my circle  
Better take a look around, tell all my friends  
Better take a look at the colors of the people  
Young without lovers, old without friends  
Better say a prayer for the poor and unhealthy  
Better sing a song for those who don't care  
Let the people have the right to be different  
Young without lovers, old without friends  
Life is an abstraction and it tries to fool us all  
And it's working so far it seems  
Brother against brother, this world is such a mess  
Behind the drawn curtains so our thoughts can not be seen  
Better shake the hand of the hated  
Better hear the words, that don't seem clear  
Better take a look around at what we're doing  
Young without lovers, old without friends

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