Fading Into Obscurity

Sloan

So many stories I can tell
I had the world under my spell
Does this even ring a bell

I wonder because

Don't you know who I wasInterest in me dissipated

All my methods antiquated

I've been cast away

Lost and friendless todayI made a name for myself

When one could do such a thing

A reputation that's held

Together by string

And so I chose to cherish those who think there's some purity

To fading into obscurityWhat works on paper

Has the tendency to ride on vapor

Sometimes what's not to love

But then other times what's to likeI'm unable to tell if I know who I am

A modest success

A shill or a sham

I'm not afraid of what I'm made of

But my trajectory

Has me fading into obscurity You kids'll have to fend for yourselves

Because your mother's gone and as for the elves

Who used to do all the work around here

Well they're not gonna do it anymore You kids can kiss your mother goodbye

And I'll give you twenty minutes to cry

She used to do all the work around here

But she's not gonna do it anymoreAnd you're getting to old to be cared for

By me

And for that matter

This cake is baked but I much prefer the batter

Perhaps in part because it had so much potential

To be delicious and still be influentialI'm undecided

If the evidence that I've provided

Explains what I mean

It's too late now, cause I can't see or be seen

And I know you'd only shrug through my tears

So I'm not gonna shed them anymore

Out of favour with the flavour of the week's where I'll be

And fading into obscurity

An outsider, but in good company
Oh, yeah
I'm fading into obscurity
Da da da da
I'm undecided

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