

Rude Awakenings

Dropkick Murphys

The bed was still warm where I slept
From these hours I wish to forget
With the night still fresh on my breath
I awoke to the grim face of death

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As I crawled across the floor for the door
From one room I don't know to the next
There was nothing familiar around
And it just ain't my style to leave the seat down

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I pulled on my clothes still half in a dream
As I struggled with my conscience & a multidirectional stream
What ya take her for
I buried my loneliness with her for the night
Then I left with new symptoms no antidepressant could cure
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She took me for all I was worth
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A meaningless gesture in the meanest of times
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With equal surprise she opened her eyes
Sat up & shouted "for Christ sakes who the hell are you!"
What she take ya for
She cooked me my breakfast then called me a cab
Shoved me out the door & threw the five dollar fare in my face
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