

Builder of Routines

Manic Street Preachers

I've sealed myself in
Laminated all of my skin
Sellotaped my world in bits
I must embrace paralysis

Only in you do we see ourselves
Only in you can we see our end
So sick and so tired of being 4 real
Only the fiction still has the appeal

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It makes me safe and clean
It crucifies parts of me
But never seems to make me bleed

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Only in you can we imagine our mend
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How I hate middle age
In between acceptance and rage
Democracy has sure made a fool out of me
But I am the builder of routines