

# Ghosts

The Jam

Why are you frightened  
Can't you see that it's you?  
That ain't no ghost  
It's a reflection of you

Why do you turn away  
An' keep it out of sight?  
Oh, don't live up to your given roles  
There's more inside you  
That you won't show

But you keep it hidden  
Just like everyone  
You're scared to show you care  
It'll make you vulnerable

So you wear that ghost  
Around you for disguise  
But there's no need just  
'Cos it's all we've known  
There's more inside you  
That you haven't shown

So keep on moving, moving  
Moving your feet  
Keep on s-s-shuffling  
To this ghost dance beat

Just keep on walking down  
Never ending streets  
One day you'll walk  
Right out of this life  
And then you'll wonder  
Why you didn't try

To spread some loving all around  
Old fashioned causes like that still stand  
Gotta rid this prejudice that ties you down  
How do you feel at the end of the day?  
Just like you've walked over your own grave

So why are you frightened  
Can't you see that it's you?  
At the moment there's nothing  
So there's nothing to lose  
Lift up your lonely heart  
And walk right on through