

## Lullaby

## Dreadful Shadows

On candystripe legs spiderman comes  
Softly through the shadow of the evening sun  
Stealing past the windows of the blissfully dead  
Looking for the victim shivering in bed  
Searching out fear in the gathering gloom and  
Suddenly! a movement in the corner of the  
Room! and there is nothing I can do when i  
Realise with freight that the spiderman is having  
Me for dinner tonight

Quietly he laughs and shaking his head creeps  
Closer now closer to the foot of the bed and  
Softer than shadow and quicker than flies his  
Arms are all around me and his tongue in my  
Eyes  
"Be still be calm be quiet now my precious  
Boy don't struggle like that or I will only love  
You more for it's much too late to get away or  
Turn on the light the spiderman is having you  
For dinner tonight."

And I feel like I'm being eaten by a thousand  
Million shivering furry holes and I know that in  
The morning I will wake up in the shivering cold  
And the spiderman is always hungry...