

## Protection

Graham Parker

So all of you be damned we can't have heaven crammed  
So Winston Churchill said I could have smacked his head  
And all of those infected waiting to be collected  
I must get out at any price before the feeling gets too nice

Just can't get, just can't get no protection  
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Protection, protection

Every bomb is detonated every switch is thrown  
And everybody tells me don't be scared act as if you never care  
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So I wear a blank expression to conceal my real impression  
Turn off all the information radios just pick up that station

So turn off this sound I'm ready to go down  
I don't know myself, I don't you either  
You're full of disease it's something I discovered  
I know you've been mixing with big brother's brother  
It ain't the knife in the heart that tears you apart  
It's just the thought of someone  
It's just the thought of someone  
It's just the thought of someone sticking it in, sticking it in

So if you think that's funny I'm not really laughing honey  
Your love letters are confetti I ripped them up my hands were s  
weaty  
And then those ghastly faces recur in nightmare places  
Happy hours come and go much too short and much too long

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