

Red Dress

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Remember when we'd get together
Burn the candle don't you know
Smoke and drink and live forever
No one there to tell us no
This time I'm gonna kill that bastard
This time I'm not gonna miss, this time I'm not gonna miss
This time there ain't no doubt about it

Let me be quite clear on this
Out the back and down the alley
Gone to get your bucket spiked
Come back when you think you need me

Come back any time you like
Where'd you get that red dress
Where'd you get that red dress
Yes I'm drunk but damn you're ugly
Tell you one thing yes I will
Tomorrow morning I'll be sober
You'll be just as ugly still

Where'd you get that red dress
I don't know what you got goin' on
But You know I never seen you with that red dress on
Tell me where'd you get that red dress
Watching out the kitchen window
Right here in this old brown chair
Stack the empties on the table
Toss 'em down the basement stairs

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