

# Do You Remember The Riots?

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Do you remember the riots in Gothenburg  
In the summer of two thousand and one  
Boy, we sure had fun  
I held your hand so proud  
It was shaking from what I learned was doubt  
In the warm summer sun

And I saw my face on a screen  
They filmed us from a helicopter  
The most frightened face I've seen  
Red in the face like a lobster

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Down the avenue  
The black black crew  
Were throwing rocks at the cops stand  
Everything stopped  
They started a bonfire  
A couple of days prior  
I wanted to do that too  
Burn down the avenue

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And your hands slipped out of mine  
I couldn't see no love in your eye  
And I knew what I had to do  
Burn the avenue

And I'm not a political fighter  
And I don't even have a cigarette lighter  
But I wanna see that fire  
I just wanna see that fire  
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