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A tyrant is a man who allows his people no freedom Who is puffed-up by pride Driven by the lust of power Impelled by greed Provoked by a thirst for fame

Divided and conquered Gripped by fear Wishful thinking that it can't happen here It's well underways but nobody knows A repeat of history That's how it goes

Tell the people that they're under attack By man-eating foes from mars or iraq Mobilize outrage Muzzle dissent Send in the troops Strike to pre-empt

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Control the airwaves Fuel the reaction Use every weapon of mass-distraction Turn active people into passive consumers Feed 'em bogues polls and harebrained rumours

Cut back civil rights Make no mistake Tell 'em homeland security is now at stake Whip up a frenzy keep 'em suspended Don't let 'em know that their liberty's ended

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Everything goes in desperate states The veneer of democracy rapidly fades Wreak total havoc on all opposition In any event fulfill your mission

Totalitarian media sensation You will give 'em domination

KMFDM

Never mind they call you a liar and thief By now you're undisputed commander-in-chief

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