

# Requiem in Denim and Leopardskin

Pet Shop Boys

I thought it was like a film  
Reviewed but never seen  
Where everybody played themselves  
As a drama king or queen  
The music was overwhelming  
Glittering and thin  
Solemn and shabby like a requiem  
In denim and leopardskin  
I visualize the flashbacks  
School, punk rock, success  
Parties, too much of everything  
The cliches, the candles, the mess

Lucian in the scene with David  
Bryan in a tux  
McCartney on a blitz in Zanzibar  
All Hollywood Redux  
Ossie's last collection  
Biba's closing sale  
A little more rouge on powdered cheeks  
But the base is pale

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It ended with the motorbike  
A search for evidence  
Poring over old photographs  
To make it all fake sense  
Glamorous in its own way  
Shouting above the din  
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Johnny's wearing brothel creepers  
Malcolm's round the block  
Adam's in a Jarman film  
But look he's let it rock  
The Johnson's leather jacket  
Hair by Keith at Smile  
All you need to make it big is sex and style

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