

## Network News

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Guns, death and noise  
Sand, oil and blood  
Frontiers drawn on paper  
No consideration made for  
The poor creature who is living  
By the grace of God just giving  
He's live on network news  
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Flags, princes, kings  
Patriotic tools  
As freedom lies in twisted heaps  
Whose final breath his soul to keep  
Whose greatest foe, the endless sleep  
Whose dying wish to reach next week  
A bloody star on the network news  
A bloody star on the network news

Tanks, boats and planes  
Fire, pain and lies  
Environmental terrorists  
Tease propaganda's paper fist  
Whose trade is all the truth that fits  
Who often lies but never sits  
But on the fence it's the network news  
Yes, on the fence it's network news

The lion and the serpent parade out in the sun  
All order, flex and gesture  
All hail - the techno infidel has come  
With satellite bravado and infra-red texture

Beyond these days in time to come  
Whose fate is it to measure  
Upon these sands such damage done  
To spoil God's finest treasure

Beyond these days

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