

## Hope For Us?

Shadow Gallery

Too late for us now?  
I sat alone and I spoke out loud  
On this darkened afternoon  
The windows to my room  
A solemn shutter on the world  
Where I used to laugh and dream  
For the first time in so long I make  
My way down to the street and watch  
The people as they pass

Outside I breathe the air  
And all around fall shadows of despair

I wonder is there hope for us  
A place where we can all be free  
I wonder is there life inside a soul that dies?  
I wonder is there hope for us  
To lift me up I don't know when  
I'll see the sun again  
I'd like to feel alive  
Just one more time

Headlines on the floor  
Today's bitterness is the calling card  
The commercial masquerade  
The goods all on parade  
The needs of life are charming toys  
We've gone deaf from all the noise  
When did the rich and powerful elite  
Slowly and unnoticed  
Come and steal our innocence?

Entranced - we danced their dance  
The stage is set the crowd is on their knees

I wonder is there hope for us  
A place where we can all be free  
I wonder is there life inside a soul that dies  
I wonder is there hope for us  
We're stranded with no place to go  
I'm feeling so alone  
I'll try to make my way  
Through one more day