A figure walks behind you A figure walks behind you A shadow walks behind you A figure walks behind you Days of booze and roses

Days of booze and roses Shine on us, free us all Who is not irascible He is no genius

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The old golden savages
Killed their philosophers
Thought brought the drought about
Something followed me out
Goes out again

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And if it grabs my coat tail I will turn and hit it It may remove the pegs Keeping my eyes open

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It's got eyes of brown, watery
Nails of pointed yellow
Hands of black carpet
It's a quick trip to the ice house
A quick trip to the ice house X 3

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You X 3

And tales of terror Which my father told me

They never scared me
But not only is it the blind
Who cannot see
That figure behind you
Behind you x 2
You x 2

That figure kept on walking Behind you

There's a man on my trail X 4 He's also behind you Behind you X 4

That figure kept on walking X 4 Behind you X3

A figure walks 3