

## New Puritan

## The Fall

Hail the new puritan  
Maelstrom, cook one  
And all hard-core fiends  
Will die by me

And all decadent sins  
Will reap discipline  
New puritan  
This is the grim reefer

The snap at the end of the straw  
With a high grim quota  
Your star karma gin  
New puritan

In LA the window opener switch  
Is like a dinosaur cackle  
A pterodactyl cackle  
Jet plane circle

Over imported trees  
All the film ghosts will rise up  
With the sexually abused and the new youth  
In Britain the scream of electric pumps in a renovated pub

Your stomach swells up before you get drunk  
Don't call me Peter I can't go  
Salem's just up the road  
I've got work to do

Hail the new puritan  
Out of hovel-cum-coven-cum-oven

(right you go back to that riff)  
Hail the new puritan  
Out of hovel, cum-coven, cum-oven  
And all hard-core fiends

Will die by me  
And all decadent sins  
Will reap discipline  
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I curse your preoccupation  
With your record collection  
New puritan has no time  
It's only music, John

New puritan  
Ungodly mass  
Thick ass