

Learning to Live on Your Own

The Mekons

the night's drawing in on the city,
the manager picks up his phone,
everything seems such a pity,
learning to live on your own,
news travels fast down the wire,
breaks up before it hits home,
throw a rock n' roll song on the fire,
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in the half light of dawn,
you'll wave (leave) this world of ours goodbye (behind),
please accept this message of my tears...
things that take minutes last for hours,
a plane crashes on its way home,
the company still feeds on our (your) power,
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in the half light of dawn,
you'll wave (leave) this world of ours goodbye (behind),
i can't see a new star in the heavens,
i won't (don't) hear the tributes that they own,
throw a rock n' roll song on the fire,
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