

## When Darkness Falls

The Mekons

why must you talk so loudly when i am on your mind?  
my caution's lost to vengeance as you snore  
now i'll cut out your tongue 'cos you have said enough  
watch the blood drip down the wall as darkness falls  
it took seven days to catch that man  
who's stolen from me twice  
seven hours of questioning and calls  
now i'll cut off your hands 'cos they have gone too far  
watch that ring roll down the hall as darkness falls  
see the (little) children outside playing  
hear their voices sing  
flowers in my hair and pockets  
swinging on that swing  
will you take a taxi?  
will i make you walk?  
we make big decisions every day  
i'll chop off your head  
your thoughts have all turned bad  
make you bend and make you crawl as darkness falls  
i'll pluck out your eyes  
'cos you have seen too much  
you know you should be ready when (as) darkness falls