

Fairground

The Tiger Lillies

Lost my heart in the fairground
the sad clown tries to smile
How quickly goes our innocence
how swiftly we're defiled
Lost my heart in the fairground
when I saw the cheapest rides
We're the ones the crowds queue for
the sad clown stands aside
The vulgar neon prostitutes
they always win the day
How swiftly our innocence
so swiftly swept away
Lost my heart in the fairground
when I saw that it was crap
Well marketed and packaged
that keeps them coming back
How quickly we do swallow
the bitterest of pills
The neon whores and sycophants
who peddle cheaper thrills
How quickly fairground barkers
They learn to shout
The quick and easy buck is what
it's all about
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