

## Hopeless Bleak Despair

They Might Be Giants

I never knew what everybody meant by endless, hopeless bleak de  
spair

Until one day when I found out  
The first time I ever left my house  
It saw me and followed me home  
And stayed with me for my whole life

For years and years I wandered the earth  
Condemned to a life of bleak despair  
Then one day I looked around and found  
It had disappeared

All this bleak despair  
It was always there  
And then one day it disappeared  
In a puff of smoke  
In an unceremonious way  
One day it disappeared

All I had ever wanted in my life was only to be free of it  
It drove away my family  
It made me lose my job  
Whenever anybody saw it  
They'd say get out of here

For years and years I wandered the earth  
Sick of my life, looking forward to death  
The one day I looked around and found  
It had disappeared

All this bleak despair  
It was always there  
And then one day it disappeared  
In a puff of smoke  
In an unceremonious way  
One day it disappeared

For years and years I wandered the earth  
Until I died and went to hell but my  
Despair had ascended to heaven  
That's how I finally got rid of it