

## When the lights go out

Wall of Voodoo

Jimmy, Jimmy,  
where have you been? We had a date.  
It's four am and you're  
five hours late again.  
Jimmy said he had a feeling tonight...  
He couldn't go to sleep,  
it was getting light...  
Drank some coffee and I got a buzz,  
so I got myself a fifth with a friend.

And then the lights go out, and  
he said it'll be the same as yesterday,  
Hey-hey.  
When the lights go out,  
it'll be the same,  
Hey-hey.

Simi Valley, where the hell is that?  
When I woke up, I swore I'd quit,  
no more, no more, I swore I swore.

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he said it'll be the same as yesterday,  
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I slept with the door unlocked  
when I left her...  
I thought she might come back,  
even though I knew her  
better than that,  
and I was better off, I did it anyway....  
I'd wake and hear her voice decay  
into police sirens far away.  
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He couldn't go to sleep,  
it was getting light...  
And then the lights go out...