

Mistaken for Strangers

The National

You have to do it running but you do everything that they ask you to

'Cause you don't mind seeing yourself in a picture

As long as you look far away

As long as you look removed

Showered and blue-blazered

Fill yourself with quarters

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You get mistaken for strangers by your own friends

When you pass them at night under the silvery, silvery Citibank lights

Arm in arm in arm and eyes and eyes glazing under

Oh, you wouldn't want an angel watching over, surprise, surprise, they wouldn't wanna watch

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Make up something to believe in your heart of hearts

So you have something to wear on your sleeve of sleeves

So you swear you just saw a feathery woman

Carry a blindfolded man through the trees

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