

## The Lie of the Land

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did you see the boy, the frozen sky  
skating on the ice, a sudden cry  
he fell down, a hole in the ice  
he disappeared, there was trouble in paradise

so you were there, couldn't lend him a hand!  
too far away, the lie of the land  
shocked by struggle, you justify  
a dozen times you fell that fools lullaby

if your head gets too big  
you'll end up in a parade  
so you better go home  
when curiosity killed the mouse  
and all the eyes fall down  
the party's reached it's end

did you hear the bang, just down town  
a car-accident, upside down  
as fast as you can, won't miss the mess  
how many dead, enough to impress

so you were then, didn't step aside  
when help arrived, you parasite  
left for dead now, you smell the glory  
never seen that much blood, for your fishermanstory?

why do only stories that are sad  
keep the attention high, and others are denied  
a missing link in life  
a dark basement in our mind  
or are we party blind

did you see the fire burn in your neighbourhood  
did you see the fire burn you'd better turn

so you were there, you rattlesnake  
but you arrived just a minute too late