

## People Lead

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When the people lead  
the leaders they will have to follow  
and all their lies and their alibies  
they will have to swallow  
and it's you that has the authority  
for the one who is right  
is the majority

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children you've got to take your lead  
or you shall be led astray

so as long as someone else  
controls your history  
the truth shall remain just a mystery  
for you can lead a horse to the water  
but you cannot make him drink  
you can put a man through school  
but you cannot make him think

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watch them try to hide  
this world's imposition  
but like disease that has come round from remission  
when it seems  
as if it has left your person  
all the while it has only worsened

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