

# No Vanguard Revival

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If the members of the groups whose spirit you summon  
Appeared in this room, right now, all of a sudden  
Would they sign off on how you studied their time?  
How you subtly refined their vocab and mind?  
Or would they say, "Look here, what have we spawned?  
It's a culture of pawns, it's a lake full of small ponds"  
While we were doing Velvets  
They were doing Dada  
They turned on a sonnet  
And ripped it back on it  
While we were doing Pink Flag ecstatic at half mast  
Still doing Velvets  
Still doing Elvis

And there's no vanguard revival  
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She said, "There's no vanguard revival; false concept"  
The vanguard never was  
A false concept

Classical is modern  
Returning is modern  
If there's no vanguard revival  
Then the vanguard never was