Spiral Transit

Crystal Stilts

Transfixed by a distant chaos Locked inside a violent womb Brood into frenzy I witness what's foredoomed

Amid seven in a subway car Tearing towards a country Emblems drenched in darkness Twisting their faces from me

Ubiquitous market
With the innocence watching
To see what's on the table
To see what it's costing

We will debauch and debase them Then be sickened by their sins Blank books and baby bastilles Will follow hollow hymns

In steepled business buildings Housing holy banks They manufacture messiahs Upholding human ranks

Back stair descent
Through sentient corridors
Presumed escapes
Just roomfuls of foreigners

Dizzying signals
And fleeting flashes
Have led me backwards
Through dream and ashes

Transfixed by a distant chaos Locked inside a violent womb Transformed to a newborn chorus That's sung from a sacred wound