

Dance In the Darkness

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i saw the curtain move i saw the hand that pulled the shade and
in a moment the lights went out and a radio began to play and
i crossed the empty street with the window in my view but i cou
ldn't see through to watch them dance in the darkness then roun
d the corner came this old man's shuffling feet and i bummed hi
m for a cigarette and he hands the whole damn pack to me and he
said, "ive watched you for the last six nights and brother why
do you want to bleed? i guess you just can't shake the need to
watch them dance in the darkness"

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out her name can you feel them touch? can you hear them breath
e? up there time ain't moving up there no one's losing any slee
p for fools like us, two fools like us down here on the street

i said, "wait a minute mister man, you just don't understand sh
e was everything i ever wanted" and the old man he just held ou
t his hand and said, "welcome to the one place no one ever want
s to be where even in your dreams you watch them dance in the d
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