

The Carpet Crawlers 1999

Genesis

- D** **Em** **D**
1. The crawlers cover the floor in the red ochre corridor.
Em **D**
For my second sight of people, they've more lifeblood than before.
Em **D**
They're moving in time to a heavy wooden door,
Em
Where the needle's eye is winking, closing in on the poor.

- F#m** **A**
R: The carpet crawlers heed their callers:
G **A**
We've got to get in to get out
G **D**
We've got to get in to get out
C **G** **D**
We've got to get in to get out.

- Em** **D**
2. There's only one direction in the faces that I see;
Em **D**
It's upward to the ceiling, where the chamber's said to be.
Em **D**
Like the forest fight for sunlight, that takes root in every tree.
Em
They are pulled up by the magnet, believing they're free.

R: The carpet crawlers...

- Em**
3. Mild mannered supermen are held in kryptonite,
D **Em**
And the wise and foolish virgins giggle with their bodies glowing bright.
D **Em**
Through a door a harvest feast is lit by candlelight;
D **Em**
It's the bottom of a staircase that spirals out of sight.

R: The carpet crawlers...

- Em**
4. The porcelain mannikin with shattered skin fears attack.
D **Em**
The eager pack lift up their pitchers - they carry all they lack.
D **Em**
The liquid has congealed, which has seeped out through the crack,
D **Em**
And the tickler takes his stickleback.

R: The carpet crawlers...

C **Dm** (4x)

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G **D**

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C **G** **D**

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