

## Paper Lanterns

Local Natives

I've done it again  
Talons out to greet my guests  
Late is always on time  
Never with regrets  
The paintings line the hallways  
Copycats and tortured artists  
All looking for the starry night

And how many missed it  
In the sea of glowing lights?

Words escape my mind  
Press the tape rewind  
Replay every line  
On, and on, and  
We stayed up all night  
Waiting for a sign  
Mirrors in our eyes  
On, and on, and on

It is the strangest behaviour  
Arranging all these paper lanterns  
As if they'll all stay in line

And I'll miss it again  
In the sea of glowing lights

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