

## Keep Your Picture Clear

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Here I go, back again, sliding off the ceiling  
Was I gone for long or did I just flick the switch  
Across the street, away from me  
A man is singing 'Sympathy for the Devil',  
And he's getting all the words wrong.  
His newspaper flies desperately  
But words aren't wings like gravity  
They'll keep you here  
It's a theory to subscribe to  
But you know you're being lied to  
So keep your picture clear

Stay awake, the lines are drawn.  
You're never right until you're wrong in the eyes of the world  
And a picture tells a thousand lies  
Little dots in black and white. you've no idea  
The strongest will survive  
But its the scum that always rises  
So keep your picture clear

You talk just like a diplomat,  
But hide the gun behind your back  
And leaders need a bloody war  
Congratulations this is yours  
Looking through the history books  
Of liars, cheats, and petty crooks  
They'll print your picture clear

So close another file  
Of revolution turned to style  
We're so tired of walking blind  
Growing fat in hungry times  
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