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> lan Rutherford keyboards

Chris Birchall guitars

David Johnston drums lead vocal trs.3, 6; backing vocals

> Ron Anderson flute tr.4, saxophone tr.10

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ROSALEE (Rutherford)

Rosalee can't you see that you were meant for me Can't you see that you were meant for me

Rosalee, I want thee, in a caravan with me

I want you in a caravan with me

Gypsy Rosalee please run away with me

Gypsy Rosalee make sweet love

Gypsy Rosalee

Please run away with me Just take my hand and run away

Rosalee dance for me On a stage for me to see Dance for me carefree On a stage, oh yeah

Rosalee, seriously,

I didn't know there was a fee I didn't know that there was a fee!

Gypsy Rosalee, Gypsy Rosalee Please run away with me

Gypsy Rosalee make sweet love, Gypsy Rosalee please run away with me Just take my hand and run away

BEFORE I DIE (Brewin)

The Dirty Dolphin, a place for those with bad intentions and those who pray Like desperate people, and Mantis too, and she walks in with tactile feature's I'm hard as Japanese math and oh I'm just thinking about - what is there left?

Before I die, I just want to be someone's cavalry, oh yeah If God's a loser then what does that mean for our mediocrity?

And what ya doing? I hear you say, I'm making choices every day and oh I'm just kidding myself, that freedom's really at play

The Dirty Dolphin, the place it is, for turning your cold hard cash into piss And sharing the ubiquifous, brokenness

Before I die, I just want to be someone's cavalry oh yeah If God's a loser then what does that mean for our mediocrity?

BOBBY AND THE BLACK DOG (Brewin)

One foot out the door, back in, just wait
Thoughts tossed like boomerangs lined with lead plate
Dead weights, dead weights
Bobby wanted more, wanted less, wanted both
But whatever the case he would still be himself and that's the curse
Yeah that's the curse

Even now, the cloud's outside the window Vampires sing, with patience left to burn Even now, the Black Dog starts to howl

Wasn't always this way, Suppose it grew from a pup Remember glowing like cigarettes And laughing like Punch And then the crunch...then the crunch Dad says it happens Every fen years or so Time to learn about Jesus and Mary and co. So, there we go, there we go Even now, the cloud's outside the window Vampires sing, with patience left to burn Even now, the Black Dog starts to howl Bobby's going mainstream Choosing weapons, making plans Embracing the First World, Give it to the man, the fuckin' man He says give it to the man He says I'd do that, or I'd buy it The choices are lean Tell me what do I put on my record machine? And then dream, and then dream Even now, the cloud's outside the window

Vampires sing, with patience left to burn Even now, The Black Dog starts to howl

REFUGEE (Brewin)

Where do we go from here, haven't been home in years? Blood on my memory haunting me with fears Ghosts are everywhere screeching in my ears Do this and do that I'm not a child don't you hear? I soared across the sky in a giant bird And leave behind a thousand years of love, I must be heard Oh why? Did I have to run away, oh tell me why Did I lose my family oh tell me why? Where do we go from here, feeling so useless here? Strange faces try to take my kids away I fear I tried to cook today, my kitchen cried in vain Nothing is working so tired of the pain I soared across the sky in a giant bird And leave behind a thousand-years of love, I must be heard Oh why? Did I have to run away, oh tell me why Did I lose my family, oh tell me why?

NINETEEN EIGHTY-NINE (Rutherford/Brewin)

Gonna speak up more, in my own town
Gonna march to the Radical Centre exposing the clowns
Gonna jump, jump, jump in my Reeboks and strum my guitar
Place a tape right in my boombox and play Edwin Starr
Gotta learn some empathy you fuckers
Gonna crash, crash, crash and burn just like the others
You think you're so smart just like the baby Jesus
I've got news for you that no one wants to see you
And I'm calling on my mobile, just can't pick it up
Motorola MTR 9500 incredible stuff
Gonna speak right up in my home town
I'm gonna march to the Radical Centre exposing the clowns
Gotta learn some empathy you fuckers
Gonna crash, crash, crash and burn just like the others



YOU WON'T ESCAPE MY LOVE (Brewin)

Hey, I'm your trusty Doctor, Doctor Love Philosophy
Don't need no second opinion, diagnoses for free
Confidentiality, your privacy assured
Let's get down to some fixin', when I shut the doors
Turn out the lights, don't breathe

You won't escape my love, you can hide out in the heavens above
Stay up all night but you won't escape my love
You won't escape my love, you can hide out in the heavens above
Stay up all night but you won't escape my love

Hey, I'm your trusty builder, fixing things around the house When your taps start a-dripping baby, you just lie down on the couch I've got many specialist tools, just gotta plug them in Just turn off that Oprah, and let the fun begin

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Stay up all night but you won't escape my love

THENEXTSTEP (Brewin)

There's a light that shines, just before you die
And it feels so right and then you say goodbye
Goodbye for what it's worth, maybe there's more than this Earth
Perhaps a vision a sweet light, that makes everything alright
'Til then I'll listen to the sea and love will find a way to guide me
I'll have myself some tea and listen to a symphony

It's a feeling that's so at home yet I feel so alone
But I got some prefty, cyber friends
But they're not here and I'm not there
I wanna be so snug and so calm so I can't feel the storm
So stoic and so introspective, I wanna be full of rational compassion
'Til then I'll have myself some tea and listen to the symphony
I'll listen to the sea and love will find a way to guide me



THANKS A LOT (Brewin)

Thanks a lot

I drive along and I whistle happy tunes Frank Sinatra and that jazz sounds so cool But in the distance, I can hear a car that looms A P plate driver right up my ass, full of hoons

Well now thanks for your intrusion, well I'm so glad that you're here There must be millions born every single year I try to see the glass not empty, try to smile, be full of cheer But you just make me want to poke your eye out – with a spear

I'm at the footy and I cheer along with Ben
The sun is shining, and the Hawks will win again (of course)
The bloke next to me is so pissed he can barely see
He swears and wets his pants and says, "Hey, are you looking at me?"

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Well there's a dark side of the way you trash your lives You lose your jobs and you bash your wives Why do you do it, is it in your blood? Can we help, have you had enough?

Do you feel so alone? Do you feel so alone? Do you feel it, do you feel so alone?

I'm coming home from work, the train chugs along the track A big fat lady farts and a bloke slobbers down my back But it's all perfect, 'til the next person alights And two drunk men get on, light smokes and pick fights

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