

# A Trick Of The Tail

Genesis

předehra: F#m - E6 - D6maj7 - E6

**F#m E6 D6maj7 E6**  
Bored of the life in the city of gold  
**E F#m H**  
He'd left and let nobody know  
**F#m E6 D6maj7 E6**  
Gone were the towers he had known from a child  
**E F#m H**  
Alone with the dream of a life  
**C# F# As**  
He travelled the wide open road  
**Fm**  
The blinkered arcade  
**As F# Db/F**  
In search of another to share in his life  
**Eb B C#**  
Nowhere  
**Esm F# As**  
Everyone looked so strange to him

**Esm**  
R: They've got no horns and they've got no tail  
**Asm**  
They don't even know of our existence  
**Esm**  
Am I wrong to believe in a city of gold  
**Asm**  
That lies in the deep distance, he cried

And wept as they led him away to a cage  
"Beast that can talk", read the sign  
The creatures they pushed and they prodded his frame  
And questioned his story again  
But soon they grew bored of their prey  
Beast that can talk ?  
More like a freak or publicity stunt  
Oh, no

R: They've got no horns and they've got no tail...

**Eb Db**  
And broke down the door of the cage and marched on out  
**As Eb F7**  
He grabbed a creature by the scruff of his neck, pointing out  
**B Bmaj7 Eb B**  
There, beyond the bounds of your weak imagination  
**B Bmaj7 Eb F**  
Lie the noble towers of my city, bright and gold  
**Eb F G F C Eb**  
Let me take you there and show you a living story  
**B C# Eb**  
Let me show you others such as me  
**Asm C#**  
Why did I ever leave ?

R: They've got no horns and they've got no tail...

And wept

And so we set out with the beast and his horns  
And his crazy description of home  
After many days journey we came to a peak  
Where the beast gazed abroad and cried out  
We followed his gaze and we thought maybe we saw  
A spire of gold - no, a trick of the eye that's all  
But the beast was gone and a voice was heard

R: They've got no horns and they've got no tail...

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Hello friend, welcome home