

# Pharaoh

June Tabor

Pharaoh he sits in his tower of steel  
The dogs of money all at his heel  
Magicians cry Oh Truth! Oh Real!  
We're all working for the Pharaoh

A thousand eyes a thousand ears  
He feeds us all he feeds our fears  
Don't stir in your sleep tonight my dears  
We're all working for the Pharaoh

Egypt Land Egypt Land  
We're all living in Egypt land  
Tell me brother don't you understand  
We're all working for the Pharaoh

Hidden from the eye of chance  
The men of shadow dance a dance  
And we're all struck into a trance  
We're all working for the Pharaoh

Idols rise into the sky  
Pyramids soar Sphinxes lie  
Head of dog Osiris eye  
We're all working for the Pharaoh

I dig a ditch I shape a stone  
Another battlement for his throne  
Tell me brother do you understand  
We're all working for the Pharaoh

Call it England call it Spain  
Egypt rules with the whip and chain  
Moses free my people again!  
We're all working for the Pharaoh

And its Egypt Land! Egypt Land!  
We're all living in Egypt Land  
Tell me brother do'nt you understand  
We're all working for the Pharaoh

Interlude

Pharaoh he sits in his tower of steel  
Around his feet the princes kneel  
Far below we shoulder the wheel  
We're all working for the Pharaoh