Don't invite the vicious companions Though they're always at your side Only waiting to take you a ride Feel the creature rise inside you With misguided ill intent Look around, it's your only defence

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See the hungry cry for the children
Watch the greedy call for more
And the self-ordained proceed to shut the door
When the needy run from the table
For they know there's nothing there
Hoping one day, will somebody care?

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We've got to be good, got to be strong The final approach is taking too long Too late in the day, when everything's gone

Now the villain, he may prosper
And the thief might do as well
With amusement, their crimes they dispel
The promises they've broken
And the hearts they have betrayed
End to end they are carefully laid

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