

# Lullaby of London

The Pogues

As I walked down by the riverside  
One evening in the spring  
Heard a long gone song from days gone by  
Blown in on the great north wind

Though there is no lonesome corncrake's cry  
Of sorrow and delight  
You can hear the cars and the shouts from bars  
And the laughter and the fights

May the ghosts that howled round the house at night  
Never keep you from your sleep  
May they all sleep tight down in hell tonight  
Or wherever they may be

As I walked on with a heavy heart  
Then a stone danced on the tide  
And the song went on though the lights were gone  
And the north wind gently sighed

And an evening breeze coming from the east  
That kissed the riverside  
So I pray now child that you sleep tonight  
When you hear this lullaby

Well the wind that blows from haunted graves  
Never bring you misery  
May the angels bright watch you tonight  
And keep you while you sleep