Birds Of Prey

The tap-tapping of your fingers Encrusted with blood We shall never be apart The pitchfork and the cloven hoof The fiddler's dancing on the roof

Oh, my soul and all that is within me Send your prayers Recite the rosary Tell the birds and the beasts of prey How to seduce How to betray

The flowers, the serpents The gods of the netherworld The mad biter, the pied piper The pale priest of the mute people

Let me awake to life immortal After all that was Has ceased to be Has ceased to breathe

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Rome