

## Bam Salute

Scritti Politti

Bam Salute and all the right and reason now are out of reach  
They ran away with beauty baby - out to Bop-A-Re-Bop beach  
Bam Salute and when the work is over what can baby do  
But undermine and overthrow the cheatin' of the chosen few

Bop-A-Re-Bop beach now baby

Oh first and foremost - ooh you gotta get close  
To the money and the madness that are mine - at any time  
And last but not least - in the heart of the beast  
There's a beauty that was once upon a time - and long ago

Bam Salute and all the just and proper you've been waiting for  
Sailed away with virtue baby - out to Bop-A-Re-Bop shore  
Bam Salute and now the judge and jury - you can lock away  
And all your world's abandoned to - the wages for a working day

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Oh the one thing I know - is that wherever you go  
You won't find the peace of mind you're looking for - not any more  
And since that's the case - put a smile on your face  
You can love me - we can live above the law

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