

Modern World

The Vibrators

Junkies are robbin' your car and your home,
The pound in your pocket's goin' way down.
Alarms, loud music, yeah who wants to sleep,
A symphony of violence to darken your street.

Nuclear power plants waitin' to go wrong,
The hole in the ozone, aids and terrorist bombs,
London where I live's lookin' really third world,
Yeah, tell me tell me, what's happening girl.

[Chorus:]

This is the modern world, this is the modern world,
This is the modern world, for us baby.
This is the modern world, this is the modern world,
Yeah take a look, tell me what do you see.

Ex-mental patient it's all gone wrong,
Nothin' he can do, he's too far gone.
Sleepin' on the pavement, walk by on the other-side,
Count down the days, to his suicide.

[Chorus:]

This is the modern world, this is the modern world,
This is the modern world, for us baby.
This is the modern world, this is the modern world,
Take a good look 'cos your children'll ask you what did you see
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[Instrumental]

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No work for Bill, it ain't a laugh,
He's getting' frightened as the years roll past.
No money to make Mary his wife,
Drinks to the wasteland that's that left of his life.

[Chorus:]

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[repeat]