

## **Belle And Sebastian**

# **"The Loneliness Of A Middle Distance Runner"**

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I'll take a second of the day to think about the things  
that we  
Have done this  
Year  
The dog lies down, the pouring rain, I'm underneath  
the smokers'  
Railway arch  
Again  
The future's looking colourful  
It's the colour of blood, chaos and corruption of a  
happy soul  
A happy soul will ride in the field  
Ride in the field  
Ride in the field  
'Til the rain dies down.

The railway ticket states the destination but it doesn't  
mean  
That we will show  
There's a fork upon the line, we'll pay the guard to  
switch the  
Sign, off we go  
The future's looking wonderful  
It's the wonder of the businessman's conspiracy to sell  
you  
Wares, no one cares  
Oh, you care I know  
You care I know  
You care I know  
I forgot for a while

On a sulky afternoon spent in dispute you'll give  
yourself a  
Headache, yeah  
So I spend the day in stories and in dreaming of the  
time when  
We're on stage

Have you seen the loneliness of a middle distance  
runner,  
Whens he stops the race and looks around  
I like the stage, I've seen it now

I'll walk to the station  
Walk to the station  
Walk to the station  
Won't you follow me?

Walk to the station  
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