

# Doors

## "An American Prayer/Hour For Magic/Freedom Exists/"

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Do you know the warm progress  
under the stars?

Do you know we exist?

Have you forgotten the keys  
to the kingdom

Have you been borne yet  
& are you alive?

Let's reinvent the gods, all teh myths  
of the ages

Celebrate symbols from deep elder forests

[Have you forgotten the lessons  
of the ancient war]

We need great golden copulations

The fathers are cackling in trees  
of the forest

Our mother is dead in the sea

Do you know we are being led to  
slaughters by placid admirals

& that fat slow generals are getting  
obscene on young blood

Do you know we are ruled by T.V.

The moon is dry blood beast

Guerrilla bands are rolling numbers  
in the next block of green vine

amassing for warfare on innocent  
herdsman who are just dying

O great creator of being

grant us one more hour to  
perform our art  
& perfect our lives

The moths & atheists are doubly divine  
& dying

We live, we die  
& death not ends it

Journey we more into the  
Nightmare  
Cling to life  
Our passion'd flower

Cling to Cunts & cocks  
of despair

We got our final vision  
by clap

Columbus groin got  
filled w/green death

(I touched her thigh  
& death smiled)

We have assembled inside this ancient  
& insane theatre

To propagate our lust for life  
& flee the swarming wisdom  
of the streets

The barns are stormed

The windows kept

& only one of all the rest

To dance & save us

W/the divine mockery  
of words

Music inflames temperament

(When the true King's murderers

are allowed to roam free

a 1000 Magicians arise in the land)

Where are the feasts

we are promised

Where is the wine

The New Wine

(dying on the vine)

resident mockery

give us an hour for magic

We of the purple glove

We of the starling flight

& velvet hour

We of arabic pleasures's breed

We of sundome & the night

Give us a creed

To believe

A night of lust

Give us trust in

The Night

Give of color

hundred hues

a rich mandala

for me & for you

& for your silky

pillowed house

a head, wisdom

& a bed

Troubled decree

Resident mockery

has claimed thee

We used to believe

in the good old days

We still receive

In little ways

The things of Kindness

& unsporting brow

Forget & allow

Did you know freedom exists  
in school books

Did you know madmen are  
running our prisons

w/in a jail, w/in a gaol  
w/in a white free protestant  
maelstrom

We're perched headlong  
on the edge of boredom

We're reaching for death  
on the end of a candle

We're trying for something  
that's already found us

Wow, I'm sick of doubt  
Live in the light of certain  
south

Cruel bindings

The servants have the power

dog-men & their mean women  
pulling poor blankets over  
our sailors

I'm sick of dour faces  
Starong at me from the T.V.

Tower, I want roses in  
my garden bower; dig?

Royal babies, rubies  
must now replace aborted

Strangers in the mud

These mutants, blood-meal  
for the plant that's plowed  
they are waiting to take us into  
the severed garden

Do you know how pale & wanton thrillful  
comes death on a stranger hour  
unannounced, unplanned for

like a scaring over-friendly guest you've  
brought to bed

Death makes angels of us all  
& gives us wings  
where we had shoulders  
smooth as raven's  
claws

No more money, no more fancy dress  
This other kingdom seems by far the best  
until its other jaw reveals incest  
& loose obedience to a vegetable law

I will not go  
Prefer a feast of friends  
To the Giant family

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