

## Genesis

# "Carpet Crawlers"

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There is lambswool under my naked feet  
The wool is soft and warm, gives off some kind of heat  
A salamander scurries into flame to be destroyed  
Imaginary creatures are trapped in birth on celluloid

The fleas cling to the golden fleece hoping they'll find  
peace  
Each thought and gesture are caught in celluloid  
There's no hiding in my memory  
There's no room to avoid

The crawlers cover the floor in the red ocher corridor  
For my second sight of people, they've more lifeblood  
than before  
They're moving in time to a heavy wooden door  
Where the needle's eye is winking, closing in on the  
poor

The carpet crawlers heed their callers  
"We've got to get in to get out  
We've got to get in to get out  
We've got to get in to get out"

There's only one direction in the faces that I see  
It's upward to the ceiling, where the chamber's said to  
be  
Like the forest fight for sunlight that takes root in every  
tree  
They are pulled up by the magnet believing they're free

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Mild mannered supermen are held in kryptonite  
And the wise and foolish virgins giggle with their  
bodies glowing bright  
Through a door a harvest feast is lit by candlelight  
It's the bottom of a staircase that spirals out of sight

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The porcelain manikin with shattered skin fears attack  
The eager pack lift up their pitchers, they carry all they  
lack

The liquid has congealed which has seeped out  
through the crack

And the tickler takes his stickleback

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