

## Hawkwind

# "Shot Down In The Night"

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Numbers called as they're waiting in a line  
Camouflaged like a jungle snake  
Acting tough, just enough  
'til they start to break  
Then they're off with a rush of adrenalin  
Holding on to a world unseen  
the only sound is the pumping of the great machine  
[chorus:]  
The secret's only for a few  
Superpower looks down on you  
Someone's watching every move  
You can break the lock and turn on the light ?  
You know your danger feelings are right  
Try to run or put up a fight  
You'll be shot down in the night  
Shot down like an animal

See them run like rats from the factory  
Push them out to the twilight zone  
Let them feed on their needs  
'til they're overthrown  
Take them up to a place in the gallery  
Show them God with an angel face  
Curtain call for the fall  
Of the Human race

Play it straight and it seems like a mystery  
Tell the truth and it sounds like lies  
Looking down at the ground  
With your angry eyes  
Play the game and you'll see there's a difference  
Join the ranks and you'll get your kicks  
See the world, and the girls, and the dirty tricks

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