

# Jaya The Cat "The Carnival"

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As the lights go down at the carnival  
And the last ride grinds to a stop  
All the bums are singing out 'the parting glass'  
In the church across the lot  
And all the thieves and the liars and the hypocrites  
That brought her down so low  
All file past the coffin man  
Like wolves out on the prowl  
And everyone has an alibi  
No one was at the scene  
The only eulogy is written out in spraypaint on the  
street

Lady liberty what the hell is happening  
It seems like your torch it don't burn for me  
Your children are hungry and can't find their way home  
Whatever happened to the dream?

All the junkies and the drunks and the burned out  
punks  
Out wandering the streets  
Just looking for a five spot of happiness  
To burn away their broken dreams  
And in a penthouse apartment in a highrise  
Standing high above the filth  
You know the promised land just went and made a  
promise  
To someone else  
And the guns on the roof are silent for now  
But you still don't feel safe  
Until you're locked in your room five floors up man  
Planning your escape.

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