

Levellers

"The River Flow"

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THE RIVERFLOW (THE LEVELLERS)

I met you in 82, over a crate of beer and not a few

I cracked a can and so did you, we're gonna change
the world

The ghetto kings of downside town

The estates and parks of our hallowed ground

Doing anything that we found and on the river flowed

You'd take a drink from the Rev. Jimmy Jones

You'd cross the street on the path the gunman roams

Thrown aside and left to waste that was you - you knew
your place

Wander round, get off your face, and on the river
flowed

CHORUS: On and on the river flow - we the undertow

I don't know how you made it through all the smoke
and brew you do

It sure has left its mark on you, but you're still with us
today

Life goes on and round we go, and words can kill these
things i know

Sometimes you cut deeply so, but on the river flows

You'd set the table for the barber sweeney Todd

You'd clip the wings of any rising god

But man can't live on hope alone, it can be cut, all that

is grown

Broke your spirit but not your bones, and on the river
flows

CHORUS: On and on the river flow - we the undertow

You're working now - forced to the race

I know it left a bitter taste

But the rising tide had covered your face

Nothing you could do

But i still remember the day you said

That the river flowing through my head

Would take me far or leave me dead

And all you said was true

(Typed in by Niclas Johansson

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