

## Mott The Hoople

### "In The Year Of The Wolf"

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In the year of the wolf  
all the world smelled good  
In the snow and the ice  
all the rest was blood  
In the time of the tribe  
we took a thousand lives  
When I ran with the wolves  
and the hunting was good

See me now, I was another  
Not like me, when the wolves were brothers  
See me now, you cannot know  
The kind of food that made me grow

It was the wolf in me  
Body and soul on fire  
In the cold, full moon  
Blood, red, desire  
It was the wolf in me  
You know it felt so true  
The night I ran with the wolves  
Tonight I come for you

In the year of the wolf  
how could you ever know  
There in the forest  
I had teeth to show  
In a different time  
when the world was mine  
When I ran as a wolf  
and the sun burned low

See me now, I was another  
Mean and vicious, fast and clever  
See me now, you would not dream  
The food I ate, the food that screamed

It was the wolf in me  
And all my soul was fire  
By the cold, full moon  
Blood, red, desire

It was the wolf in me  
I howled the cold night through  
The year I ran as a wolf  
Tonight the food is you

In the year of the wolf  
all the tribe ran mad  
On the frozen lake  
and I left so glad  
With tooth and claw  
all your blood and more  
When I ran with the wolves  
and the hunt turned bad

See me now, this is not me  
Not like the one, I used to be  
See me now, you would not guess  
A different heart raving in my chest

It was the wolf in me  
When the world was cold  
It was the life I lived  
In the dark world below  
It was the wolf in me  
Crying and howling too  
I was crying for the hunt  
But I was hunting for you

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