

Kennedys Dead

"Cesspools In Eden"

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Poison is bubbling

Beneath your dreamhome

Buried there years before

Kid runs in crying

>From playing in the garden

"Mommy, I burned my hands!"

"What's making our eyes so itchy?"

"Don't rub 'em-they'll swell up."

Oh...Oh Oh Oh

It's the big waste dump

Oh, yeah

We built your ticky-tacky houses

On landfill soil

To cover up a gift

We left you years before

Of toxic chemicals

And leaking gas

Just dig a little while,

You'll find our acid baths

Cesspools

In Eden

Oozing away...

Groundwater's poisoned

Air stings like hell

The lines for doctors growing long

Over martinis

The company laughs

"We don't owe you one damn thinging."

But what about all these fainting spells?

How'd you like a lick

>From my open sores

And oh....oh oh oh-

Why are our babies stillborn?

A storage tank's leaking

It's about to explode

Why evacuate

When you can watch the fun

Nothing happens here

Get out the lawn chairs

We'll drink pink lemonade

And watch Martinez burn

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Leak by the day
The land we sold you
Is right atop our acid pits
We fill them by the truckload
In the dead of night
There's thousands more toxic
Tips of the iceberg
We pay a little bribe
Or we just don't report them
And see what you get-
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In Eden
No accident-
Just a little of our greed-fueled negligence
So you've found the proof why
Your cancer rate's shot up
But whatcha gonna do
When we've got all the cards
Times Beach, Rocky Flats,
Love Canal and Bhopal
Merry Christmas, hostages
>From the folks who care
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Have a nice day

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