

Fortuna Road

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a. Fortuna Road

b. Happy music

Once they were a
happy couple
moving in on
Fortuna Road

The windows are dark
just staring out
the furniture's gone
it's just the rats hideout

Fortuna Road
the sun is shining
Fortuna Road
our life is waiting

Happy music was always playing
Happy music the sound will echo
Happy music on every Sunday
afternoon

Kids are playing
in the garden
they don't even
care if it rains

Once it was the house
of happiness
once it had a
shiny thrilling magic glow

Fortuna Road
of happy houses
Fortuna Road
we're happy spouses

Happy music was always playing
Happy music the sound will echo
Happy music on every Sunday
afternoon

c. Further on up the road I
(instrumental)

d. Boredom

Days slip away
the garden is empty
week after week
and year after year

We all had our routines
we've got no time for this
boredom, we never noticed
boredom, how could we not see

Driving away
yes, almost every day
week after week
and year after year

We all had our routines
we've got no time for this
boredom, we never noticed
boredom, how could we not see

I'm sitting in a
window sill
I'm staring out,
I'm feeling kinda ill

I'm trying out my
new spectacles
but all I see
is hazy dizziness

We got stuck now
we kinda wanted it
but not this way
no, no, not this way

We all had our routines
we've got no time for this
boredom, we never noticed
boredom, how could we not see

e. The Dark House

Nobody knows who
lived there
nobody knows if anyone
the windows are sealed
with boards
and so is the door
the front porch is rotten and
the staircase is missing

They say that they had to
leave it
they say, but you won't believe
it's true
there's been an incident
that's all we can say
they played with madness, but
they thought it was magic

The dark house with just one
window
the dark house homing a lost
the dark house homing a widow
the dark house homing a lost

f. Further on up the road II
(instrumental)

g. More than halfway

We're more than halfway
til we reach our goal
we're more than halfway
til we're getting old

We're more than halfway
can't believe it's true
we're old and wise now
find someone we can sue

We watch the sunset
shining through the glass
she killed her husband
silence was her knife

We're more than halfway
can't believe it's true
we're old and wise now
find someone we can sue

h. Fortuna Road (reprise)

Kids are gone
we're all alone
they drop by
at Christmas time

Fortuna Road
the sun is shining
Fortuna Road
our life is waiting

Fortuna Road
of happy houses
Fortuna Road
we're happy spouses

i. Dead End

We've reached the dead end
Fortuna Road leads nowhere
we got to go back now
and see it all in reverse

The memories slips away
just like the waves on the beach
and nothing's gonna last now
so we pretend not to know