

# Ted Leo And The Pharmacists, Better Dead Than

I had a golden ring, and I kept it with golden things  
In the Bank of a Million Dreams that was bursting at all the seams  
I had a gold ring. It was such an important thing  
That I kept it beneath my bed, and I carried it in my head  
I had a golden dream, and the way it down came to me  
Was through Captains of Alchemy, who came up from a steely sea  
And I dreamed through the rainy night, and I managed to sleep alright  
And my body became so light, that I managed to give it flight  
Because I know gold is just a trick of light  
And lead is light as a feather  
So, leave me where the kids are alright  
And we will all go down together  
I had a golden dream, and they took it away from me  
And they pulled it out of my head, and they showed me that it was lead