

# Elysian Fields, Jack In The Box

It's been seven years now, living in this box  
Closed in on all sides, no light, just dark  
He kept me under the bed, I'd pray for it to stop  
He'd lock me safely away, and lie on top  
Pop the latches open the hatches  
Out comes Jack in the box  
Doing tricks and taking licks  
Out comes Jack in the box  
I was an uncut marionette hanging by steel cable threads  
I was a shadow dancer a thousand shades of red  
There's too much light it's far too bright  
I things much too clearly  
There's too much light, it far too bright  
Weary, oh so weary  
If this is all of life outside  
Please put me where I am happy  
Where I won't know what to think of this  
Black in black, almost sleeping  
Pop the latches open the hatches, out comes jack in the box  
Doing tricks and taking licks, out comes jack in the box  
Please lock me up  
Shut me up  
Shut up your jack in the box