

# Secret Machines, Daddy's In The Doldrums

Mother walks the streets  
with a baby in her hands  
While the child weighs on her mind  
Mama's looking for a man

'Cause her Daddy's in the doldrums  
and Mama wants to dance  
Yeah, Daddy's in the doldrums  
and he can barely stand

So where were you?

His eyes stood frozen, dark  
A breath of overcasting black  
I watched her walk away  
I know she ain't coming back

'Cause her Daddy's in the doldrums  
and Mama wants to dance  
Yeah, Daddy's in the doldrums  
and he can barely stand

So where were you?

With each step she took  
Another nail driven  
In building her wreck

No, don't look back or  
Watch me reign down  
'Cause it's an act

Though my love just feels deceit  
the sickening beat gets carried away