The Fall, A Figure Walks

A figure walks behind you A figure walks behind you A shadow walks behind you A figure walks behind you

Days of booze and roses Shine on us, free us all Who is not irascible He is no genius

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The old golden savages Killed their philosophers Thought brought the drought about Something followed me out Goes out again

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And if it grabs my coat tail I will turn and hit it It may remove the pegs Keeping my eyes open

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It's got eyes of brown, watery Nails of pointed yellow Hands of black carpet It's a quick trip to the ice house A quick trip to the ice house X 3

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You X 3

And tales of terror Which my father told me They never scared me But not only is it the blind Who cannot see That figure behind you Behind you x 2 You x 2

That figure kept on walking Behind you

There's a man on my trail X 4 He's also behind you Behind you X 4

That figure kept on walking X 4 Behind you X3

A figure walks 3