

Southside Tenements

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Intro: G A D G A D G A D G A D G A G

A D G

London City has Southside Tenements

A D

Rusty cans, broken cars, cracked cement

G A D

Someone blocked the drain, someone smashed a vent

G A D G A D G A D G A G

In a Southside, a Southside Tenement

A D G

London City has Southside Tenements

A D G

Flags are flying for some royal event

A D

There s people hanging out of the St. Paul s windows

G A D

Lining up on the pavement and on the High Street

G

And the City Road and from Crossfields

A D G A D G A D G A G

And the Southside Tenement

A D G

Well I get restive, and I got to leave

A D G

I m taking the shortcut home, past the arches, by the railway

D A D

Where an old friend swears that maybe he could save me

G A D

For a crazy boy, he s okay

G A D

For a Southside, a Southside cavalcade

Bridge:

G A D

Hear the haunted, the haunted serenader

Em G A D

He s just a memory, a-fading on The Broadway

A G

Fading from the Southside

A D

The Southside Tenement

Instrumental: **G A D G A D G A G**

Sax Break: **A D G A D G A D G D**

G A D G A D G A D G

A D G

Sleepwalking to The Oxford Arms

A D G

No-one noticed warehouse alarms

A D

Slamming dominoes in the back bar, safe from harm

G A D

By the Southside, the Southside Tenement

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A D G

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Cops saying that my kids are thieves, and they say The Bill are bent

A D

Well, I dunno, I m only sharing rent

G A D G

In a Southside, a Southside Tenement

A D G A G

A Southside Tenement

A D G

London City has Southside Tenements

A D

Broken parts, broken hearts, cracked cement

G A D

Some spray-can words bout love and gold - remember them?

G A D

And the madman crying Nobody s condemned

G A D

Not even Southside, Southside Tenement

G A D

And I remember Southside Tenement

OUTRO: (## repeat and fade to end ##)

G A D G A D G A D G A D G A D G A D