Hope Street Levellers

There s a young boy in the queue

Not much else for him to do

He s had a drink, he s had a few

Down the pub on Hope Street

Dear old lady she s looking thin

Got a shopping bag with your life in

Your old man s going through the bins

So it goes on Hope Street

Rain on me come pouring down

Clean the dirt of this old town

F#m

Tell the sun to come around

And show his face on Hope Street

Riff

There s a flight right down the street

The betting shop has got him beat

Blew his money for the week

on a horse called Hope Street

No old faces out today

Someone took them all away

Cleaning up or so they say

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The dirty face of Hope Street

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Everyday I look at you

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Dressed up in you ties of blue

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Saying there ${\bf s}$ not much you can do

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To help the kids on Hope Street

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They don t seem to even care

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That it was you that put them there

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You seem to think they like it there

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Hanging out on Hope Street