

## The Ministry Of Defence

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[Intro] A

A

This is the Ministry, Of Defence

A

Stairs and walls are, all that s left

A

Mortar holes let, through the air

A

Kids do the same thing, everywhere

F

C

They ve sprayed graffiti, in Arabic

D

E

And balanced sticks, in human shit

A

A

This is the ministry, of remains

A

A

Fizzy drinks, cans, and magazines

F

C

Broken glass, a white jawbone

D

E

Syringes, razors, a plastic spoon

F

C

Human hair, a kitchen knife

D

E

And a ghost of a girl, who runs and hides

D

D

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A

Scratched in the wall in, biro pen

D

D

This is how the, world will end

[Solo] A A A A A

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A

There s the bus depot, to the right

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A

Levelled like a, a building site

F

C

Those are the children s, cries from the dark

D

E

These are the words, writ under the arch

F

C

Scratched in the wall, in biro pen

**D**

**E**

**A A**

This is how the, world will end