

They Suffocate At Night
Pulp

*****THEY SUFFOCATE AT NIGHT*****8

A rich, lush, blackly humourous ballad from Mr. Cocker and Co. from 1986

CHORDS(EADBe)

Fmaj7 XX3210
F# 244322
G 320003
Gm 355333
A X02220
Am X02210
Ab 466544
Bb X1333X

INTRO

Bb A
Bb A

VERSE

ALL THE VERSES ARE THE SAME AS THE INTRO.

Bb
His body loved her
 A
His mind was set on other things
 Bb
Keep your face out of sight
 A
And your thoughts to yourself

BRIDGE

Am
And this went on for several nights
Ab
Festering in silence
Gm
Growing in the dark

CHORUS

Am

And this they saw as love

G

Looooovvvvvvveeeeeee

F#

So sad to see

Fmaj7

They suffocate at night

Am

Oh this they saw as love

G

Looooovvvvvvveeeeeee

F#

So sad to see

Fmaj7

To see it slowly die

VERSE

SAME AS BEFORE

She met his wishes

He found that he had changed his mind

Now the fit is too tight

And the bedroom too warm

BRIDGE

SAME AS BEFORE

The days are full of things to do

Night time lives so hollow

And memories betrayed

CHORUS

SAME AS BEFORE

Those memories of love

Looovvvvvvvveeee

So sad to see

They suffocate at night

Those memories of love

Looovvvvvvvveeee

So sad to see

To see it slowly die

VERSE

SAME AS BEFORE

Two years have passed

Two years of emptiness inside

And the grey skies above

Show just how far I went wrong

BRIDGE

SAME AS BEFORE

I wonder if she s living there
The way that I recall
The way I ll always think of you

CHORUS

SAME AS BEFORE

When I think of you
I think of love
Loooovvvvvvvveeee
So sad to see
They suffocate at night
Those memories of love
Loooovvvvvvvveeee
So sad to see
To see it slowly die

VERSE

SAME AS BEFORE

I wrote you a letter
I threw it away
I wrote you a letter
I threw it away
I need her
No, I don t need her
I need her
ohhhhhh

etc.

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