

Stretch Out And Wait
The Smiths

E | -0---/-7----- | -4-----0----- | -4-----7----- | -7-5-5-5/7---- |
B | -0---/-7----- | -5-5-0-2----- | -4-----4----- | -5-5-5-5/7---- |
G | -1---/-8----- | -6-6-0-2----- | -4-----4----- | -6-6-6-6/8---- |
D | -2---/-9----- | -6-6-0-2----- | -6-----6----- | -5-5-7-7/9---- |
A | -2---/-9----- | -4-----0----- | -6-----6----- | -7-7-7-7/9---- |
E | -0---/-7----- | ----- | -4-----4----- | -5-5-5-5/7---- |

on the high rise estate
what s at the back of your mind?
on a three-day debate
on the high rise estate
what s at the back of your mind?
two icy-cold hands conducting the way
it s the eskimo blood in my veins
amid the concrete and clay
and general decay
nature must still find a way
so ignore all the codes of the day
let your juvenile impulses sway
this way and that way and
this way and that way
god, how sex implores you

E | -3----- | ----- |
B | -5----- | ----- |
G | -5----- | ----- |
D | -5----- | ----- |
A | -3----- | ----- |
E | ----- | ----- |

to let yourself loose yourself

E | -4-----4----- | -4-----7----- | -4-----4----- | -7-5-5-5/7---- |
B | -5---5-5----- | -5-----7----- | -5---5-5----- | -5-5-5-5/7---- |
G | -6---4-6----- | -6-----8----- | -6---4-6----- | -6-6-6-6/8---- |
D | -6---6-6----- | -6-----9----- | -6---6-6----- | -5-5-7-7/9---- |
A | -4---4-7----- | -4-----9----- | -4---4-7----- | -7-7-7-7/9---- |
E | ----- | -----7----- | ----- | -5-5-5-5/7---- |

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let your puny body lie down, let down

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B | -0----- | -2----- | -5----- | -5----- |
G | -2----- | -4----- | -6----- | -6----- |
D | -2----- | -4----- | -6----- | -6----- |

A | -0----- | -2----- | -4----- | -7----- |
E | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |

as we lie you say
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stretch out and

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E | ----- | -----7----- | ----- | -5-5-5-5/7----- |

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A | -0----- | -2----- | -4----- | -4----- |
E | ----- | ----- | ----- | -2----- |

as we lie you say:
will the world end in the night time?
(i really don t know)
or will the world end in the day time?
(i really don t know)
and is there any point in ever having children?

E | -0----- | -2----- | -2----- | -0-----2----- |
B | -2----- | -2----- | -2----- | -0-----2----- |
G | -2----- | -4----- | -3----- | -2-----4----- |
D | -0----- | -4----- | -4----- | -2-----4----- |
A | -0----- | -2----- | -4----- | -0-----2----- |
E | ----- | ----- | -2----- | ----- |

no, i don t know
what i do know is we re here and it s now, so

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there s no debate, no debate, no debate
how can you consciously contemplate

when there s no debate, no debate
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A	-2---/-9-----	-4-----0-----
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wait, wait, wait, etc.

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B	-5-----	-2-----0--	-2-----
G	-6-----	-3-----0--	-2-----
D	-6-----	-4-----0--	-2-----
A	-4-----	-4-----0--	-0-----
E	-----	-2-----	-----