

Intro: | EΔ | E | A^{sus2} | A^{sus2} |

1. EΔ E A^{sus2} EΔ E A^{sus2}
 Shakedown nineteen seventy nine, Cool kids never have the time.
 EΔ E A^{sus2} F#m7 B
 On a live wire right up off the street, You and I should meet.

2. EΔ E A^{sus2} EΔ E A^{sus2}
 Junebug skippin' like a stone Headlights pointed at the dawn.
 EΔ E A^{sus2} F#m7 B
 We were sure we'd never see an end to it all.

Chorus: E EΔ AΔ E
 And I-- don't even care to shake these zipper blues,
 EΔ AΔ E EΔ AΔ
 And we don't know just where our bones will r-e-s-t to dust I guess
 F#m7 B (EΔ)
 Forgotten and absorbed into the earth below.

Interlude: | EΔ | E | A^{sus2} | A^{sus2} |

3. EΔ E A^{sus2} EΔ E A^{sus2}
 Double cross the vacant and the bored, They're not sure just what we have in store.
 EΔ E A^{sus2} F#m7 A^{sus2}
 Morphine city slippin' dues down to see

Chorus: E EΔ AΔ E
 That weeeeeee don't even care as restless as we are,
 EΔ AΔ E EΔ AΔ
 We feel the pull in the land of a thousand g-u-i-l-t-s and poured ce-ment,
 B
 Lamented and assured

(B) C#m A B C#m A
 Bridge: To the lights and town below, Faster than the speed of sound,
 B C#m A F#m7 B (EΔ)
 Faster than we thought we'd go beneath the sound of hope.

4. EΔ E A^{sus2} EΔ E A^{sus2}
 Justine never knew the rules, Hung down with the freaks and ghouls.
 EΔ E A^{sus2} EΔ E A^{sus2} F#m7 B
 No a-pologies ever need be made, I know better than you fake it to see

Chorus: E EΔ AΔ E
 That weeeeeee don't even care to shake these zipper blues,
 EΔ AΔ E EΔ AΔ
 And we don't know just where our bones will r-e-s-t to dust I guess
 F#m7 B (EΔ)
 Forgotten and absorbed into the earth below.

EΔ E A^{sus2} EΔ E A^{sus2} E*
 Outro: The street heats the urgency of now. As you see there's no-one a-round.