Mercy Street

Peter Gabriel

Looking down on empty streets, all she can see

Are the dreams all made solid

Are the dreams made realAll of the buildings, all of the cars

Were once just a dream

In somebody's headShe pictures the broken glass, pictures the steam

She pictures a soul

With no leak at the seamLet's take the boat out

Wait until darkness

Let's take the boat out

Wait until darkness comesNowhere in the corridors of pale green and gray

Nowhere in the suburbs

In the cold light of day

There in the midst of it, so alive and alone

Words support like boneDreaming of Mercy Street

Where you're inside out

Dreaming of mercy

In your daddy's arms again

Dreaming of Mercy Street

Swear they moved that sign

Dreaming of mercy

In your daddy's armsPulling out the papers from the drawers that slide smooth

Tugging at the darkness, word upon word

Confessing all the secret things in the warm velvet box

To the priest, he's the doctor

He can handle the shocksDreaming of the tenderness

The tremble in the hips

Of kissing Mary's lips

Dreaming of Mercy Street

Where you're inside out

Dreaming of mercy

In your daddy's arms again

Dreaming of Mercy Street

Swear they moved that sign

Looking for mercy

In your daddy's armsMercy, mercy, looking for mercy

Looking for mercy

Mercy, looking for mercy

Mercy, looking for mercy

Looking for mercy

Oh, mercy

Looking for mercyAnne, with her father, is out in the boat

Riding the water

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