

# Song of the Dispossessed (Remastered)

## Dead Can Dance

The river is deep and the road is long,  
Daylight comes and I want to go home.  
Awoke this morning  
To find my people's tongues were tied  
And in my dreams  
They were given books to poison their minds. The river is deep and the mountain high,  
How long before the other side. We are their mortar,  
Their building bricks and their clay.  
Their gold teeth mirror  
Both our joys and our pain.  
The river is deep and the ocean wide,  
Who will show us how to read the signs. The earth is our mother  
She taught us to embrace the light,  
Now the lord is master  
She suffers an eternal night.  
You blocked up my ears,  
You plucked out my eyes,  
You cut out my tongue,  
You fed me with lies, Oh lord.

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