

WAR

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A

128

voice wi - nter wa-king up slow - ly tur-ning to face the day alre-a-dy dressed

guitar

bass pizz.

voc or still to sleep no heat long time a-go, a-no-ther life then warm now dead and cold

guit

b

voc no - thing now - no - life - the brain starts wor-king star-ting to think stop to

guit

b

voc think a-bout it all - don't think of it so cold can't move - get rea-dy to go to work what for

guit

b

voc — who knows — for no — thing — qui — et now — qui — et out - side —

guit

b

voc but li - sten the sound of guns shells fly - ing im-a - gine

guit

viola

b

B

voc who is shoo - ting some-one I knew buil - dings are fa - lling glass

guit

vla

b

voc is rai - ning down peo - ple ru - nning and dy - ing what can we do not much

guit

vla

b

voc we hope and guess when it will end does the fi - re cease to - day was any-one killed

guit

vla

b

voc I knew the day is o - ver I'm go - ing home to what the wa - king

guit

vla

b

voc the wai - ting a long walk through the war the dead in - side the ruins

oboe

guit

violin 1

violin 2

viola

cello

bass

voc

(105) cold bo - dies once warm just bits and pie - ces what used to be a - live

ob

guit

vin 1

vin 2

vla

cel

b

voc

(115) I pass black holes for win - dows the shell-ing ne - ver stops but lights the way this rea - ly hasn't been

ob

guit

vin 1

vin 2

vla

cel

b

voc

(125) a ve - ry good day I thought I'm used to this but ne - ver rea - ly

ob

guit

vin 1

vin 2

vla

cel

b

voc

(135)

— fin-a-ly I reach my street____ my house a heap of ru-bble____ it's gone____ I cry—

ob

guit

vin 1

vin 2

vla

cel

b

(140)

voc
ob
guit
vln 1
vln 2
vla
cel
b

I'm fi - nished here I leave of course I know when this

(145)

voc (150) — one ends. a - no - ther war will start some o - ther place.

ob rit.

guit rit.

vin 1

vin 2 rit.

vla rit.

cel rit.

b rit.