

THE PALE

Autograph For My Dad

Do you know my dad used to listen to you
Way back in 1992
I remember the day the tape just snapped
He would really love an autograph

I remember how he played you when he drove us
to school
I remember how we used to sing along with you
Really, really loud as he dropped us off
In his black VW Golf

We have a little brother too
But he's too young to remember you
For his generation it's just not the same
It's all hip-hop and computer games
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What was the name of your really big tune
Me Da used to really go bananas to
He bought it on the day he met my Mum

Who he left way back in 2001

We'd really, really, really love to catch a show
'Cause you're never, ever, ever on the radio
We didn't know that you were still going
We thought you would be really, really old

We have to run and catch a bus
But thanks very much for talking to us
Dad'll have a heart attack
When he sees this autograph
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Síniú Do Mo Dhaid

An dtuigeann tú gur éist mo Dhaidí le do cheol
Siar i 1992
Is cuimhin liom an lá gur bhris an téip
Ba bhreá leis síniú más féidir é

Is cuimhin liom gur sheinn sé sibh 's muid sa
charr
'S é ag canadh amach go hard
Glórach go leor agus muid ar fad
Ag suí ar chúl an VW Golf

Tá deartháir atá cuibheasach óg
Ró-óg le cuimhneamh ar bhur gceol
'S dá ghlúin níl sé mar an gcéanna dóibh
'Sé hip-hop anois 's cluichí fóin
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Cén t-ainm a bhí ar bhur dtiúin ollmhór
A cuireadh Daid ag damhsa ar fud an urláir
A cheannaigh sé nuair a ghlac Mam an chéim
A d'fhág sé i 2001

Ba bhreá linn cinnte seó a fheiceáil libh
Mar ní bhíonn sibh ar an raidió riamh
Níor thuigeamar go raibh sibh fós ar an bhfód
Shíleamar nach mbeadh sibh óg go leor go fóill

Caithfidimid rith anois 's bus a fháil
Ach buíochas ó chroí as ucht a bheith ar fáil
Beidh Daid ar bís nuair a fhilleann muid inniu
'S feiceann sé an síniú seo
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