

# LOVE OVER GOLD DIRE STRAITS

## INDUSTRIAL DISEASE

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Medium rock

The musical score is written for piano and guitar. It consists of five systems of music. The first system includes a piano introduction with a forte (*f*) dynamic and a vocal instruction "Wait! (spoken)". The score is in the key of D major and 4/4 time. The piano part features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the bass and chords in the treble. The guitar part provides harmonic support with various chord voicings. Chord diagrams are provided for the following chords: A, D, E, G, D, C, Bm, E/A, G, D, C, Bm, A, D/A, E/A, G/A, D, C, Bm, and D.



( $\frac{1}{2}$  spoken) Now (1) Warn-ing lights are flash-ing down at Qua-li - ty Con - trol, some-bo - dy  
 (2) care-ta - ker was cru - ci - fied for sleep-ing at his post, they're re -  
 (3) work force is dis - gus - ted downs tools and walks  
 (5, 6) See end

(accomp. voice ad lib jazz)

8va Bassa

threw a span-ner and they threw him in a hole There's ru - mours in the load-ing bay and  
 fus - ing to be pac - i - fied it's him they blame the most The watch-dog's got ra - bies the  
 in - no - cence is in - jured ex - per - i - ence just talks. Ev - 'ry - one seeks dam - a - ges and

an - ger in the town. Some - bo - dy blew the whis - tle and the walls came down, there's a  
 fore - man's got the fleas and ev - ery - one's con - cerned a - bout in - dus - trial disease. There's  
 ev - 'ry - one a - grees that these are class - ic symp - toms of a mone - tary squeeze. On



meet - ing in the board - room, they're try'n to trace the smell, there's leak - ing in the wash - room there's a  
 pan - ic on the switch - board tongues are tied in knots some come out in sym - pa - thy,  
 L. T. V. and B. B. C. they talk a - bout the curse phi - lo - so - phy is us - el - ess the -

*(loco)*

sneak in per - son - nel, some - where in the cor - ri - dors some - one was heard to sneeze  
 some come out in spots some blame the man - age - ment some the em - ploy - ees and  
 o - lo - gy is worse his - to - ry boils ov - er there's an ec - on - om - ic freeze soci -

good - ness me could this be in - dus - tri - al dis - ease. The dus - tri - al dis - ease.  
 ev - 'ry - body knows it's the in - vent words that mean  
 ologists invent words that mean

*To Coda*  
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*8<sup>va</sup> Bassa*

*(ad lib.)*

Spoken Well - now the




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in - dus - tri - al disease *Ad lib. treatment*



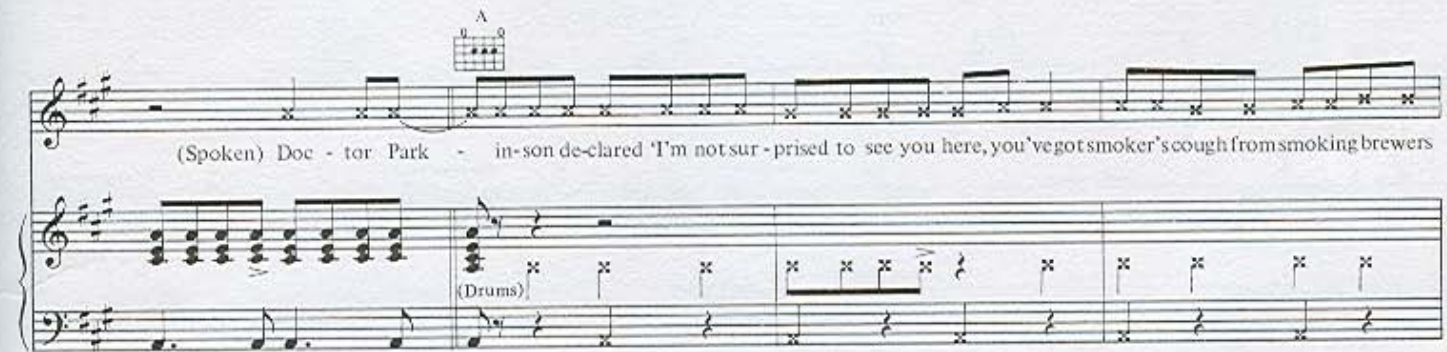
    






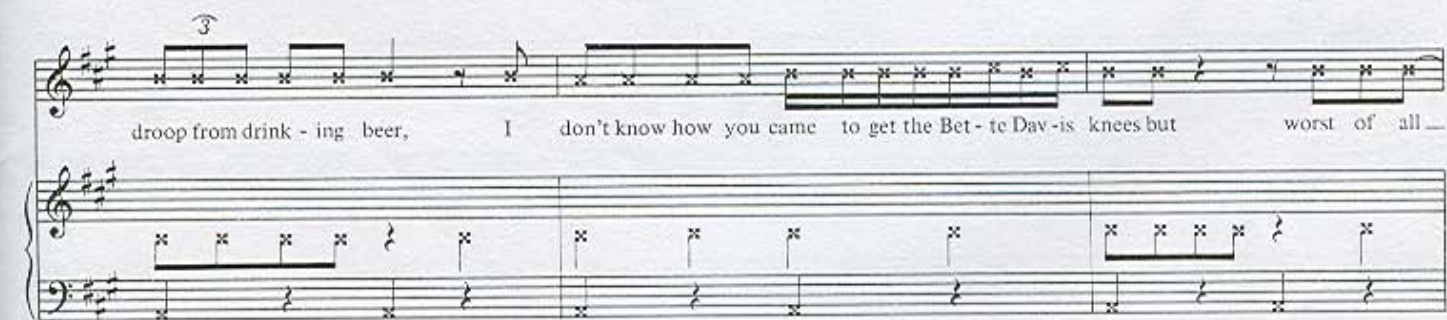
(Spoken) Doc - tor Park - in - son de - clared 'I'm not sur - prised to see you here, you've got smoker's cough from smoking brewers

(Drums)





droop from drink - ing beer, I don't know how you came to get the Bet - te Dav - is knees but worst of all -





— young man you've got in - dus - tri - al dis - ease.' He wrote me a pres - crip - tion he said





'You are de-pressed but I'm glad you came to see me to get this off your chest. Come

8<sup>va</sup> Bassa

back and see me lat-er, next pa-tient please, send in an-oth-er vic-tim of in-dus-tri-al dis-ease.'

*D.S. al Coda*

(5) 1 go

*CODA*
  
*CODA*
  
*D.S. al Coda*
  
 dus-tri-al dis-ease. (6) They're

*Straight on 2nd time*



E G D C Bm

1-4 5

*ff* *p*

5. I go down to Speaker's Corner I'm thunderstruck  
 They got free speech, tourists, police in trucks  
 Two men say they're Jesus one of them must be wrong  
 There's a protest singer singing a protest song — he says  
 'They wanna have a war so they can keep us on our knees  
 They wanna have a war so they can keep their factories  
 They wanna have a war to stop us buying Japanese  
 They wanna have a war to stop Industrial Disease.'
  
6. They're pointing out the enemy to keep you deaf and blind  
 They wanna sap your energy incarcerate your mind  
 They give you Rule Britannia, gassy beer, page three  
 Two weeks in Espana and Sunday striptease,  
 Meanwhile the first Jesus says 'I'd cure it soon  
 Abolish Monday mornings and Friday afternoons.'  
 The other one's out on hunger strike he's dying by degrees  
 How come Jesus gets Industrial Disease.