

FILKING DAY

Lyrics by Mark Osier

TTA: Gather Day by Steve Macdonald (with apologies!)

The hotel is dark - hear the noise... hark
Guess the filkers are playing away
Same old damn song - they sing it wrong
They won't shut up 'till break of day

They're coming
I know how they sing... (they)

Beat upon the strings
Beat on them and sing
I forgot the words
La la la da da

They paid their fee - I checked to see
So I guess we can't throw them out
Singing off key - room next to me
And all that I can do is pout

'Cause filking day is finally here
Look at the time - run now in fear
Newbies and tone deafs to sing for your pain
Then off-tune guitars will play it again

They beat upon the strings
Beat on them and sing
Time to change the key
La da da da
Beat on the strings
Beat on them and sing
I forgot the words
La la la da da
La da da da da
La da da da da da
La da da da da