

**The Pervasive Menace --- Lyrics and Music by Joel Simser – released to the public domain
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It's a natural
gradual destruction
that's breaking down
our material town.

It comes in pits,
it comes in cracks,
It's all over your railroad tracks,
you see it everywhere you look . . .

Here comes the rusty hook!

Ooo, oh it carries on
from dusk till dawn
as we sleep.

(It continues to creep.)

The pervasive menace
never sleeps,
Ooooooooooooo,
it continues to creep.

It's persistent
gradual destruction
is breaking down
our material town.

It comes in pits,
it comes in cracks,
it's even on your Cadillac,
you see it everywhere you look . . .

Here comes the rusty hook!

Ooo, oh it carries on
from dusk to dawn
as we sleep.

(It continues to creep.)

The pervasive menace
never sleeps,
Ooooooooooooo,
it continues to creep.