

Title : Old House At Ang Siang Hill

Composer : Tsao Chieh

Lyricist : Arthur Yap

An unusual house this is
dreams are here before you sleep
tread softly into the three storeyed gloom
Sit gently on the straitsbom furniture imported from China
Speak quietly to the contemporary occupants
they are not afraid of you
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waiting for you to go before they dislocate their intentions
so what if this is your grandfather's house his ghost doesn't live here anymore
Your family past is superannuated grime which increases with time
otherwise nothing adds or subtracts the bricks and tiles
until redevelopment which will greatly change this house that was
dozens like it a-long the street the nest and the nest as well
nothing much will be missed eyes not tradition tell you this