

O’Riordan was also a regular on the jogging trails along the Condell Road in Limerick city. O’Riordan’s new music project D.A.R.K had to cancel their first Limerick gig at Dolans Warehouse in 2016, citing her ongoing battle with back pain.

Back pain

“She brought Limerick to a global stage and to the forefront of world music. She was an exceptional talent,” he said. “She was rehearsing here a month ago. It’s very very sad . . . She wanted to do a home town gig, but it didn’t materialise because of her back problems. Apparently she had a serious back injury. A lot of her European tour dates were cancelled at the time. The last two years of her life, I’d imagine, she was living in a lot of (back) pain.”

Limerick Mayor Seán Lynch expressed his shock at the singer’s sudden death. “She lived in Patrickswell as a young girl. I wanted to give her a mayoral reception before I ended my tenure. I’m sitting in my car and I just can’t believe it . . . She put Limerick on the world stage. Poor Dolores.”

ZOMBIE

[The Cranberries](#)

Another head hangs lowly
..... is slowly taken
And the violence, caused such

Who are we mistaken?
But you see, it's not

It's my family
In your head, in your head, they
With their tanks, and their bombs
And their, and their

In your head, in your head they are crying
In your head, in your head
..... , zombie, zombie-ie-ie
What's in your head, in your head
Zombie, zombie, zombie-ie-ie, oh
Du, du, du, du
Du, du, du, du
Du, du, du, du
Du, du, du, du

Another 's breaking
Heart is taking over
When the causes silence
We must be mistaken
It's the same old theme
Since
In...