

FAMILIAR PLACES

Ten long years on a desert island
Along the same old ragged shore
Marking every passing day
On the panel of my wooden door
There'd been times when I found myself a stranger
There'd been nights when I thought I wasn't lone
But It was only a trick of the mind

Shadows dancing at sundown on the sea
Upon the cliff there was a man that wasn't me
Writing every passing dream
On the bark of poplar trees
Drawing roads on maps to nowhere
Nowhere I can feel at ease
But I dream...

Of familiar places I'm going to
Familiar faces i'd like to see with you
On summer nights in Boston harbour
Waiting for the boats to come
Waiting for the boats...

With their fuming chimneys and their iron hulls
Like a city on the move
When the captain barks « every man to his post »
It's a machine in the groove
But I've only got a sky to gaze at
And a mind to collect dreams
All week long I stand on the beach
And what I only do is lie down and think...

Of familiar places I'm going to
Familiar faces i'd like to see with you
Familiar places I've been around
Familiar places I'd like to be...homeward bound

Lalalalalala

Familiar places I'm going to
Familiar faces i'd like to see with you
On summer nights in Boston harbour
Waiting for the boats to come
Where I could be...homeward bound

La la la la.

GET UP AND FALL

Go down and fall
In many outer lands
Get up and call
For many helping hands

Stucked inside a rollercoaster here you are in
A storm about to break
Stucked inside a rollercoaster here you are in
A storm about to break
With whirling wind and snow
Get up and call

Go down and walk
In many crowded streets
Open up and talk
But no one seems to hear

Changing words into a distant burble like
A sound that isn't made
Changing words into a distant burble like
A sound that isn't made
Kept hidden in the shade
Get up and call

Nice and pretty
The nicest nightmares one can find
So pretty
You've got a wizard in your mind
Are you ready ?
To go down and fall ?
Or get up and call ?

I NEED SOMEONE

You wanted to stay here with your hand in mine
As a prayer to stop the running of time
But ain't nothing that you oughta do
I need someone but I never needed you

Your body saying that you wanted me
Sparkling eyes with notes of urgency
There ain't nothing that you should do
I need someone but I never needed you

Mystery of life to figure where and when
But rubbing a lamp ain't the good lane
There ain't nothing that you must do
I need someone but I never needed you

You wanted to stay here with your hand in mine
As a prayer to stop the running of time
But ain't nothing that you could do
I need someone but I never needed you

Sparkles of desire

A SOUND AT THE DOOR

There's a sound at the door
And you know he's come home
You shiver inside
As cold as a stone
When he enters the kitchen
Yelling words with fury
You hang on to the table
Like a lifebelt in the sea

There's a voice in your head
And it says you must go
There's a knock on your head
The first time that day
He walks out of the place
His shoes movin' away
You swallow your sadness
And choke back your tears anyway

Pack your case and run away 'fore he comes home

Someone wrote you a number
On a worn envelope
One day when his anger
Had gone much too far
You kept it like a treasure
In a drawer of your room
A chance to recover
For another future

Pack your case and run away 'fore he comes home

But nobody really knows what you feel
At this particular time
Nobody really knows what you'll do
But I really know why I came to sing for you

INTO THE WILD

Ain't gonna miss me honey
The day that I am dead and gone
Everything's changing in me
And I can feel my day is done

Concluding words to heal
Wounds that I gathered all the way
Scars that I tried to hide
Changing my skin to carapace

You hurt me so much honey
You did me harm many times
My heart has turned to stone now
I still can feel your blade inside

Searching for the words to say
What I can't express anyhow
Hard times are on my side
And I've gone off into the wild

Running on from east into the wild

You've done bad to me, honey
You've done me harm
You've done me bad things all too long

Now i'm running on from east into the wild

MYSTERY MAN

Mystery man hidden in a can
Wanted to stay drunk till the end of time
Watching movies in a bottle of wine
Thinking about the days he was the one

Now the hero's tired and worried
Cause he's the only one to never forget he was the Real one

Mystery man is a special one
Wanted to be loved by everyone
Saving the man who didn't know he was lost
Running everywhere at any cost

Now the hero's sad and worried
He knows he's no more needed
It's time for him to lay down the arms
The hero' s worn and dismissed
It's been long since his last kiss
It's time for him to say his days are gone

Good bye Mystery man..

Mystery man is so passionate
He says every time, he has no time to waste
But now time has gone, he's got nothing left
Mystery man 's left to his fate

Now the hero's tired and worried
Cause he's the only one to never forget he was the Real one

Mystery man, Mystery man
He was the real one
Mystery man, Mystery man
He was the real one

ROCKING ON A WATER BED

How do you feel as the seasons pass by
Running breathless like a dyin' sun ?
Do you remember the good old days
Close your eyes, and think of us last Sunday

Looking for a sign
That someday you'll be mine (It's worth believing)

Why do you care about the extra time ?
Are you enchanted by the charming deadline ?
Can't you believe that the one who's coming
Is a surprise that you might be loving ?

Someday you will find
That all you've left behind is memories
But counting up your days
Ain't a gentle way to make it easy

Thoughts passing through my mind are just some signs of good will
Do dare to express what you really should be wanting

aaahhhh you're gonna be like Jesus

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aaahhhh you're gonna be like Jesus when he wanted to play

Walking on the water
Shaking on the water
Rocking on a waterbed

SHAKING LEAVES

Oh old tree of mine
Here now for long
Oh oak tree of mine
Here now for long

Nevermind the pouring rain, despise the storm
Nevermind the wounds of time
Nevermind your shaking leaves, you're still waiting
For a bird to nest inside your empty heart

Oh old friend of mine
Days long gone
Oh old friend of mine
Now long gone

You tried to hide from me the way you felt
You tried to smile but let me down /lone
You tried to build a wall and locked yourself in
Dreamlife being
And quitted that place we called home

Oh oh but I'm still living
Oh i'm still running along

The road I walk along has no limits
Winding and tortuous but it's mine
This road i'll take sure I will try to remind you at every step
You will always be by my side

A MAP FOR GETTING AROUND

A hundred miles on a desert road
Heading to the nowhereland
It's been too long since I saw a face
And no one to talk around
Everything appears to look the same
So far from my New Orleans
Girl I can tell you I won't do it twice
It's a swindle, it's a trap...without a map for getting around

A hundred bucks hidden in my shoe
But not a place to buy a drink
Say that if I'd been a boat
Sure I would have let myself sink
Abstinence's the real damn thing
But now it's gone really to far
Girl I swear I won't do it twice
i'm surely gonna kill for a jar...Yeah I'll really do

La la la
Tell me where we go tell me where we're gone
Tell me where we're bound to go

I swore I wouldn't follow anybody without guarantee

Lost and frozen, dried without a plan to set me free

Maybe I'll starve to death or die of thirst
It doesn't matter if it counts
The only thing around my eyes
Are the Painted desert mounts
I can't recall why I've been to that place
With the sun burning my eyes
The only thing I want for you to let me go
It's time to let me go
But I ain't a map for getting around

La la la
Tell me where we go tell me where we're gone
Tell me where we're bound to go

On this road again, I'm loaded again
On this road again...

DEAD LINED

Dead cat crawling on the bathroom carpet
Dead fly creeping on the kitchen ceiling
Dead mouse trying to escape the tracking
Dead spider running on a thin lace web

Now that time has gone
There's no one to ever stop me
Now that time has gone

Dead-end street on a promised exit
Dead weight waiting for a train to come
Dead man floating on a frozen river
Deadhead truck for a nowhere land

Now that time has gone
There's no one to ever stop me
Now that time has gone...

Deadmarch walking with a stuffed up trumpet
Dead ball rolling down the stadium steps
Deadlock talking for the one who is right
Deadstock on a way to ruined Bargain Land

Dead death hiding in a deadwood coffin
Dead wire and a dead bird whistlin' on
Dead sea waves in a stifled anger
Deadpan humour on a muted mouth

She says we'd better go cause she's getting annoyed
it's first time she comes
She says we'd better go cause she's getting annoyed
Cos no one finds her pretty
She says we'd better go cause she's getting annoyed
At that funeral party
She says we'd better go cause time is gone

YOU'LL GO BLIND

Desolation
Concrete turns to sand
Nothing but a hole, whole around a hole
Expectations
Dilution to delusion
Nothing but a hole, forget 'bout it all

Do you count the days to what you call relief ?
Walking in a maze, walking on endlessly

Isolation's gonna pervert your dreams
Keep your head in a bucket, walk on endlessly
You can't rewind, you'll go blind

Windswept carcass
Nothing but a shell
Nothing human in (there), and nobody cares
Expectation
Dilution to delusion
Nothing human in, dead for many years

Stifled by a dragon sleeping at your feet
Driving each of your motions with a puppet string
Isolation perverts all your dreams
With your head in bucket, nothing you can see

There's nothing more
Maybe you'll go blind
There's nothing more
Babe you'll go blind...