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World**

# Too Big World

## Guilty

I could wait all my life  
For something I'll never adore  
Is it worth getting by  
Is it worth all of my time  
I can barely afford

Guilty and content to be  
I'd do it all over again  
Guilty and glad to be  
Just to be

I could try and pretend  
Be someone other than me  
Is it worth having been  
Is it worth it in the end  
When I'm down on my knees

I know my time has been forsaken  
The curtains have closed  
And I'm still here  
I'll follow storms into the clouds now  
Maybe the rain  
Will ease my fear  
Breathe it in out  
Breaths of doubt  
I'm just drowning in the air  
Breathe it in out  
Breaths of doubt  
I'm just drowning and drowning  
I can never touch the ground again

## Whiskey

Why ask why  
I'm drunk all the time  
Man I don't know why

I was feeling fine  
Tell all the wisemen  
I don't know why

And here's a little rye now  
And a little time off  
Please have a little whiskey

I think it's time to leave the bar now  
World some how  
Please open up the door now

I'm gonna wonder away

Feeling fine  
A little blind  
But I'm hearing alright

Say it all again  
Same stories  
Same old friends

## Wreck

Bite my nails when I have to choose  
Pull my hair when I think of you  
Whatever it takes  
Whatever to get me through

But sooner or later I'm gonna have to change  
Can't keep going on this way  
So if we fall apart  
Honey, I'll be the one to blame

Cause I'm such a wreck  
A wreck when lovin' you

Always sad and  
I cannot stand  
To be in this gloom

And when I try  
Start to feel fine  
I just end up blue

half awake, can't sleep at night  
I got all these thoughts on my mind  
If I could just clear my head  
I won't have to lose this time

Why the hell'd you take me in  
Pull through when thick or thin  
And keep flames burning  
No matter how rough it's been

Have we gone too far  
Fading like stars  
Maybe we are  
Just running running running  
Out of time

## Light

There will come a time  
A time I'll have to go  
Away  
Don't try to follow me  
Into the great unknown

In my final hour  
I'll be looking for the light  
In my final hour  
I know it may not be that bright  
I know it may not even shine at all

I need you right away  
Come down from where you are  
Today  
But son you're on your way  
I think you won the race

Can we move from where we are today  
To where we will be tomorrow  
Without breaking yesterday  
Can we rise from where we are today  
To where we will be tomorrow  
Without changing

They say that God's coming down  
God's coming down  
God's coming down  
For you

You just got to be strong  
Got to hold on

It's gonna shine.....

## Tonight

Go look for love  
A diamond ring and all those things  
And I'll search for songs  
That I need to sing

Wish that you could be mine  
About half the time  
Keep you locked in a box  
Pull you out when I want

Cause I need you tonight  
I just need you tonight

It's hard to let go  
I guess I'm afraid of what would change  
You'd be alone  
And I'd go insane

Wish that I had the heart  
To tear us apart  
Keep you free from my mind  
And I'd be alright

Cause I need you tonight  
I just need you tonight

Stuck inside my place  
It's hard to picture if I'll ever change  
Or if I'm worth the wait  
Or if I will become your favorite mistake

Or maybe it'll work somehow

## If You Only Knew

What I really feel  
What I would really like to say  
How hard this is for me

You would either come back to me forever  
Or never look back and run away

Because the regret of what you lost  
Might be more then either one of us could bare

Yet to listen to my heart might make us face  
The world we created, while we weren't even looking  
Only feeling what was right and perfect and good  
Can you leave without a trace?  
I don't think so but I wish you could

Can we close our minds to the past  
And let pride decide our fate?  
Or will you listen to the silence  
And hear it scream my name?

If you only knew  
How many times your face can cloud my vision in a day  
And how many nights my dreams have haunted  
Everything I'd like to say  
Perhaps your heart would reach out  
to the one who calls to you  
Or maybe you'd pretend  
to be beyond the reach  
Of the stirrings in your soul

