

# Yesterday

## Atmosphere

I thought I saw you yesterday  
But I didn't stop, 'cause you was walkin' the opposite way  
I guess I could've shouted out your name  
But even if it was you, I don't know what I would say  
We could sit and reminisce about the old school  
Maybe share a cigarette, because we both fools  
Chop it up and compare perspectives  
Life, love, stress and set-backs, yes  
So you could tell me how hard you had it  
And you could show me all the scars to back it  
And we could analyze each complaint  
Break it down and explain these mistakes I make  
I like to tangle up the strings of the puppetry  
But you knew me back when I was a younger me  
You seen Sean in all types of light  
And I've been meanin' to ask you if I'm doin' alright

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I'm shook, I know, I pushed when I should've pulled  
Took it all back if I could, I put that on my soul  
And I would make a top-notch good listener  
If you could block-off a little time out to give it here  
Since we went our separate paths  
I've hit a couple snags that remind me of the past  
I can't front, I'm havin' a blast  
But damned if I ain't afraid of how long it's gonna last  
Sittin' here wishin' we could kick it  
Give me your opinions, I do miss the criticisms  
I didn't mean to be distant, make a visit  
I'll wait up and keep the coffee brewin' in the kitchen  
But who am I jokin' with?  
There's no way that you and I will ever get to re-open it  
It doesn't matter, this is more than love  
And maybe if I'm lucky, get to see you out the corner of

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And when you left, I didn't see it comin'  
I guess I slept, it ain't like you was runnin'  
You crept out the front door slow  
And I was so self-absorbed I didn't even know  
And by the time I looked up it was booked up  
Put it all behind you, the bad and the good stuff  
A whole house full of dreams and steps  
I think you'd be impressed with the pieces I kept  
You disappeared but the history is still here  
It's why I try not to cry over spilt beer  
I can't even get mad that you're gone

Leavin' me was probably the best thing you ever taught me  
I'm sorry, it's official  
I was a fist-full, I didn't keep it simple  
Chip on the shoulder, anger in my veins  
Had so much hatred, now it brings me shame  
Never thought about the world without you  
And I promise that I'll never say another bad word about you  
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But I knew it wasn't you, 'cause you passed away, dad

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