

Now if you're gonna play your games with me  
Like the leaf in the top of a tree  
You better watch your step when you're comin' back down  
From the city on out to the sea  
And if your brothers come after me  
With their horses so wild and so free  
I'll be waitin' at the gate in a terrible state  
With the man who holds the key  
And he'll treat you quite carelessly  
For he knows my face from a previous place  
From a country in a foreign land  
Throwin' dice in a game of chance on the sand  
But I lost my cool and fate loves a fool  
Now I'm standin' on the edge of the pack  
In my spacesuit hopin' that this women will call me at last  
'Cause I'm an astronaut on the shores of this grand illusion  
And I'm fallin down at the sound of this beating heart  
Yeah, this beatin' heart  
Yeah, this beatin' heart

Your friends all tell ya that ya gotta make a change  
Gotta make this fake in so many kinda ways  
Snap to the trees from the trees to the earth  
From the earth to your grave from the grave to your birth  
Your heart's been rappin' with ?  
But the world ain't yours 'cause this heart's been sold  
Gonna pay your lovers way and the ship it sails today

Whoa my mind now we're rollin' by and by  
Got my children to light the way  
Whoa my mind now we're rollin' by and by  
Got my brothers to light the way  
Whoa my mind now we're rollin' by and by  
Got my sisters to light the way  
Gotta pave your lovers way  
And the ship it sails today

So if you're gonna play your games with me  
Better use some real chicery  
Better get smart 'cause that lock on your heart  
It ain't as heavy as it used to be  
In the land without no gravity  
In this windless place on the edge of space  
Where the saints and the sinners have passed  
With the dead satellites and the trash  
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