

# Opening

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It's a long way up from rock bottom  
There's been times I felt I could fall further  
I have loved and lost and feared and prayed  
But now the day bursts wild and open

I have cried tears at my brother's grave  
I have shaken hands with my wife's surgeon  
I spent weeks inside the darkest cage  
But now the day bursts wild and open

There's a time to cry, there's a time to fold  
There's a time for holding on or to let it go  
There's a time to run to the arms of hope  
And the day bursts wild and open

I was raised by the church  
Choir boy still far from fizzling  
Not the pop star they say they prefer  
Kept quiet but I came to be heard  
Been a long time up top, but I ain't complacent  
If I look down, I can see replacements  
Late night drive with my heartbeat racing  
Gotta make dreams and chase them

Taken my fair share of that ridicule  
But the words are not applicable  
Catalogue formidable  
Me and that guy are in a different place  
Undefeated but that's tempting fate  
Two of them tried it, I won both cases  
Won't get back all the time they wasted  
I am not losing steam

In this world, there's no relaxing  
I've been here since migraine skanking  
Never been cool, but never been a has-been  
I'd kip on your couch if you knew me back then  
Don't tell 'em 'bout the walls you're trapped in  
Gotta keep this Usain pace  
Don't ask me how I got this break  
I built my own bricks through constant playing

SB died, couldn't stop this pain  
I look at the dots in space  
I wonder if he's proud  
Or thinks that his best friend lost his way  
Keep it together for my daughters  
Gotta come natural, I don't wanna force it  
If it's not factual, don't support it  
Every year, gotta re-swim these waters

Draw a line  
For the sake of all your family and friends  
Draw a line  
So history doesn't happen again  
Draw a line  
For the day to start, the night has to end

Draw a line  
For all of these ghosts

Too high to fly this plane  
Too fucked to drive this range  
Can't remember the last time I was on my own without Kev, it's kinda strange  
Not been the same since nineteen  
Now to push Ly on a swing, I gotta wear disguises  
I'm up for trading life sometimes  
And that may surprise them

Every stadium, I played it  
But I would still do it for free  
Gotta keep standards top of the top of the tree  
Press still got problems with me  
When school starts, I might peace out  
Till then, I keep chasing the dream  
I could end it, but I don't wanna reach out  
'Cause he means nothing to me

Don't worry 'bout what I make  
Don't trip them up to win this race  
When your career's in a risky place  
Everything seems like a big mistake  
I'm still looking for shit to say  
Deluding myself that they still relate  
Depression, I keep at bay  
Tomorrow's a different day

Me and that guy don't speak no more  
I know why, but he's not sure  
So what is the reason for?  
My heart's been broke so many times by loved ones that I don't even feel like talking  
So heed that warning  
Circle keeps getting smaller  
All I need is Chez and my daughters and a few friends to help me

Draw a line  
For the sake of your little girls and their time  
Draw a line  
But allow yourself some moments to cry  
Draw a line  
And leave the past that hurt you behind  
Draw a line  
For all of these ghosts

Draw a line  
Be grateful that you've been where you've been  
Draw a line  
And recognise the path that happened between  
Draw a line  
There's future here that's yet to be seen  
Draw a line

And the day bursts wild and open