

# Listen

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Light of the world, please don't give up on me, I'm so lost right now  
Reach through the dark  
I feel like I've been missing  
God of the stars, can You silence the storm deep in me right now?  
Relight my fire  
That warm embrace has ended

You, I can't keep up with You  
Help me know what's true  
Lies have become believable  
I don't know what else I can say  
So maybe it's better this way  
If I just listen

Oh, son of man from the clouds, if I speak, can you hear right now?  
I knew your name before sin left you broken  
I hold the keys, so tell me why's your heart full of fear right now?  
I knew you would fall  
So grace keeps my arms wide open for

You, I can't give up on you  
Your tendencies I knew  
Which makes each nail more beautiful  
Don't get in your own way  
There's life in each word that I say  
If you just listen

Why is it so hard to believe?  
But there is one sure guarantee, if you just

Listen, you speak but don't listen  
That's why you keep missing  
The beautiful things heaven has for you  
Just know then  
When you have come to your end  
That's when new life begins  
Yes it feels like it's forever, but it's sweeter on the other side of you

La, la-la-la la-la-la  
La-la-la la-la-la, la-la  
La, la-la-la  
La-la-la, la-la, la-la-la

Don't get in your own way  
There's life in each word that I say, if we just

As time pierces through my procrastination  
How much further I'd be if I just considered my past affliction  
Only to confess I am my own prisoner  
Found guilty of the crime that I constantly did not listen

Tomorrow's more clearer if we would just listen  
His touch feels more nearer if we could listen  
And now I know  
I wouldn't fail as much if I would just listen  
Patterns of circles and circles for my life are over if I listen

Tomorrow's more clearer if we would just listen  
The truth is  
His touch feels more nearer if we could just listen  
Please  
And now I know  
I wouldn't fail as much if I would just listen  
Please  
Patterns of circles and circles for my life are over if I listen