

# The Constable

Sloppy Jane

You happened years ago now  
But yesterday, I saw a man kicking a dog in the street  
And from the distance, I thought  
That you might be the man  
And God, I wanted that dog to be me

Well, I tried not to stare as he whimpered and died  
Still attached to the leash  
But in heaven, babe, there ain't no place to hide  
'Cause some dogs sure do know how to bleed

Time spins around me  
But I'll stand still  
'Til I fall ill  
Or 'til I fold down dead  
(Still wishing my hands were your hands)  
(As I hold my own head)

It was early this morning when I opened my eyes  
To find that I couldn't see  
So I ran out the driveway, straight into the highways  
And slammed my head against the concrete

There was a thousand pink slugs out of my open skull  
It was then I remembered the constable:  
A once-handsome horse, rusted into a toy  
Just as I, a great man, have grown into a scared little boy

Time spins around me  
But I'll stand still 'til I fall ill  
Or 'til I fold down dead  
(Still wishing my hands were your hands)  
(As I hold my own)

So goodbye forever, forever I  
Will see you again tomorrow to say good  
Bye forever, forever I  
Will you see again tomorrow to say goodbye

Goodbye forever, forever I  
Will see you again tomorrow to say good  
Tomorrow to say good  
It takes forever to say good

So goodbye forever, forever I  
Will see you again, will see you again  
Tomorrow

The world is ending, the planet is shaking  
Overtaken by the big blue screens  
Some hid in the caves and they screamed and they prayed  
The ceilings fell and they were crushed beneath  
A rocket ship from the shore, it took those who could afford it  
To fight a war between heaven and space  
Some took to the seas while others watched their TVs  
Dying with dignity and grace  
But I just ignored it, I sat on the doorstep

Of the house where you used to live (Happy New Year)

I couldn't hear a sound, I couldn't hear a sound

(Ten, nine, eight, seven, six)

Well, they say love is loud

(Five, four, three, two, one, happy New Year)

(Ten, nine, eight, seven, six, five, four, three, two, one)

(Happy New Year)

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