Sweet mother, get me forever Alone and safe in a room Why would I ask for anything other? Your world is all that I ever knew

Her hands are pullin' me closer
Her lies are heavy and cold
"Oh-oh", she said, "I'll keep you from danger,
Oh-oh, I'm your careful protector"

All of these voices are makin' me nervous Follow them outside
Leave 'em with nothin'
Under the surface, I am a stranger
Where else do we go?
What else do we do?

The last time you told me it simple
I keep it in the back of my mind
"Oh-oh", she said, "now, don't be a stranger,
Oh-oh, just keep your head on your shoulders"

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