The Wheel

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Some people say life's like a merry-go-round I think it's more like a ferris wheel 'Cause sometimes you're up, sometimes you're down Sometimes you just don't know what to feel

And just when you think you've got the game figured out And you say you've had enough
The mysterious mad man with his hand on the lever
Don't seem to never ever want to let you off

You can't get off this wheel of karma You can't stop the hands of time

Now I have a friend, I might have a few Sometimes I think they just don't care But I think sometimes they think the same thing of me, yeah You might say we've got a problem there

You know we all got this habit
We like to talk too much
And that always tends to slow you down
But we never change direction
We just keep going round and round and round

And let me off this wheel of karma Let me stop the hands of time

Seems like I've been around so many places

And I must have learned a lot of things

And although I ain't yet come up with a so-called answer

At least I think I finally learned how to sing

And there's just a few things I ain't got sorted out Sometimes they make my brain get sore Like if kids were left of all devices Would they ever come up with a thing like war

Let us off this wheel of karma Let us stop the hands of time