

# When Is the Future

VNV Nation

A stranger in the crowd  
Treading fire after dark  
Lost in a city  
Pulsing to a sound  
Of the spirit and soul  
A city that is breathing  
Living through the cables  
Alive across the wires  
Faces without names  
Playing devils and angels  
Lit up by the strobes  
Moving hypnotised  
I caught your reflection  
In the neon on glass  
An electric silhouette  
Against a static sky

It's a beautiful dream  
It's a beautiful life  
It's just a reflection  
A world that must survive  
We're children of the past  
Who look beyond today  
Designing the present  
So when is the future

We live in a dream  
Keeping visions alive  
It's just a reflection  
A world that never dies  
An image we create  
In our image we design  
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Time moves so fast  
In a single direction  
Fighting with a present  
Racing from the past  
We're searching for something  
That can never satisfy  
The reality of answers  
When lives are on the line  
I've waited a lifetime  
For the age of wonder  
A place that I remember  
In a splinter of time  
A stranger in a strange land  
Caught in the flow  
Still searching for answers  
Among the neon lights

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