

# Earth Song

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What about sunrise?

What about rain?

What about all the things

That you said we were to gain (1)?

What about killing fields?

Is there a time?

What about all the things

That you said was yours and mine?

Did you ever stop to notice (2)

All the blood we've shed before?

Did you ever stop to notice

This crying Earth, these weeping shores  
(3)?

What have we done to the world?

Look what we've done

What about all the peace

That you pledge (4) your only son?

What about flowering fields?

Is there a time?

What about all the dreams (5)

That you said was yours and mine?

Did you ever stop to notice

All the children dead from war?

Did you ever stop to notice

This crying Earth, these weeping shores?

I used to dream (6)

I used to glance beyond (7) the stars

Now I don't know where we are

Although I know we've drifted (8) far

Hey, what about yesterday?

What about the seas?

The heavens are falling down

I can't even breathe

What about apathy?

I need you

What about nature's worth (9)?

It's our planet's womb

What about animals?

We've turned kingdoms to dust

What about elephants?

Have we lost their trust

What about crying whales?

We're ravaging the seas

What about forest trails (10)?

Burnt despite our pleas

What about the holy land?

Torn apart by creed

What about the common man?

Can't we set him free

What about children dying?

Can't you hear them cry?

Where did we go wrong?

Someone tell me why

What about baby boy?

What about the days?

What about all their joy?

What about the man?

What about the crying man?

What about Abraham?

What about death again?

Do we give a damn?

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