



## Dustbowl Revival – *Is It You, Is It Me* Lyrics

### Dreaming

Somebody tell me that I'm dreaming  
Somebody tell me I'm still sleeping

What if you got everything you wanted?  
Then you thought how did I get here  
A lonely man up on the hill  
Sudden stage fright,  
on your big night  
as the curtain starts to rise  
From your throat comes a silence  
feels like violence out to kill

Well I lost all control,  
And I don't know how to get it back

Somebody tell me that I'm dreaming  
Somebody tell me I'm still sleeping  
Eyes open in the night  
Somebody tell me  
somebody tell me  
Somebody tell me that I'm dreaming  
And this feeling ain't  
going to last  
Oh oh oh 3x

Starts innocent enough  
As the panic often does  
Look at you in your velvet suit  
choking on the love  
From everybody looking at you  
Looking at you, don't forget  
Up until this moment I  
never had no regrets

And I feel my head hit the floor  
And I just can't do this anymore

Somebody tell me that I'm dreaming

Somebody tell me I'm still sleeping  
Eyes open in the night  
Somebody tell me  
somebody tell me  
Somebody tell me that I'm dreaming  
And this feeling  
Ain't going to last  
Oh oh oh 2x

Innocent  
even after everything that's happened  
Breaking down like the first time  
Feeling it  
When I'm by myself  
Singing in my bedroom  
Here I am  
With my eyes closed

Somebody tell me that I'm dreaming  
Somebody tell me I'm still sleeping

The ambulance came to get me  
And the house lights they stayed on  
They handed out all the refunds  
And then everyone went home  
The next thing that I heard  
Was my sweet mother's voice  
You keep living like you're dying, honey  
it's time make choice

But I wanna take one more shot,  
And mama I'm gonna give it all I got

Somebody tell me that I'm dreaming  
Somebody tell me I'm still sleeping  
Eyes open in the night  
Somebody tell me  
Somebody tell me  
Somebody tell me that I'm dreaming  
And this feeling  
Ain't going to last  
my whole life  
Oh oh oh 4x

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## Enemy

It was like waking from a bad dream  
All that screaming in the past  
And now I know things  
ain't what they seem  
This old dream is gonna last a long time  
Was it something  
that I could have said?  
Mama change your mind  
Get out of your head

I could never be your enemy  
(enemy enemy)  
But now I just can't be your friend  
Now I see you'll be the end of me  
(enemy enemy)  
If I don't try and defend myself  
Oooh 3x

The sun is out  
I hear the children play  
They clutch their clarinets as  
the bus takes them away  
The concrete's burning  
in the winter time  
they don't believe me  
there's no reason to your rhyme  
they said that up  
is down instead  
Daddy how did you get that in your head?

I could never be your enemy  
(enemy enemy)  
But now I just can't be your friend  
Now I see you'll be the end of me  
(enemy enemy)  
If I don't try and defend myself  
Oooh 3x

Hold your honey close  
It's going down  
They made him king  
But they forgot the crown  
Please pass the salt

But don't you say a word  
Jump in the lion's den  
There's gonna be a fight on  
Mama taught me  
right from wrong  
But we've been strangers  
all along

I could never be your enemy  
(enemy enemy)  
But now I just can't be your friend  
Now I see you'll be the end of me  
(enemy enemy)  
If I don't try and defend myself  
Oooh 3x

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## **Sonic Boom**

It's raining out  
but I put sunshine in my eyes  
Maybe if I believe it it's not really a lie  
Well I got good at lying

Don't dig too deep  
you might not like what you find  
You've been working at the paper  
You knows it takes long while  
And you know I've been crying

I've been digging that hole  
On my own  
You can't fall deep in love  
all alone

Don't you, want to  
know who I am, who I am  
Well I don't know myself  
Just who I want to be  
And I ache and I break down  
Every time you walk in the room  
you hit me like a sonic boom  
Sonic boom

Filter it out  
I mean the shadow from the shade  
We like the movie  
but we don't know  
how it's made  
Well I've been so afraid

Cause there's things I've done  
That I never told nobody  
You said tell me honey  
but I'm scared that you might leave  
Cause got good at leaving

Well this ain't the life  
you had in mind when you came to LA  
No don't go back to Sacramento  
I need you to stay

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know who I am, who I am  
Well I don't know myself  
Just who I want to be  
And I ache and I break down  
Every time you walk in the room  
And you hit me like a sonic boom  
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Every time you walk in the room  
And you hit me like a sonic boom  
Sonic boom  
Ooh

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## **I Wake Up**

I wake up at night  
when I wake up at night I feel alright,  
I'm always thinking of you  
they say love is blind  
when I look in your eyes,  
it's like the first time  
you know I'll always love you x3

And I know, and I know, and I know, and I know, and I know  
it's the same for you

your my lady, my lady, my lady, my lady  
gettin' lost with you

it's like we won the lottery

I wake up at night  
when I wake up at night I feel alright,  
I'm always thinking of you  
they say love is blind  
when I look in your eyes,  
it's like the first time  
you know I'll always love you x3

Well you know you know you know you know you know  
I won't ever leave, I can guarantee

Even when even when even when even when  
We disagree

We'll work it out, wait and see

I wake up at night  
when I wake up at night I feel alright,  
I'm always thinking of you  
they say love is blind  
when I look in your eyes,  
it's like the first time  
you know I'll always love you x3

I didn't make it easy  
I was gun shy from before  
and I ran right out the door  
you said "what are you leaving for"?

when you stopped me at the party  
you said you were so sure  
and what are you waiting for?  
what are you waiting  
what are you waiting  
why are you waiting?

I wake up at night  
when I wake up at night I feel alright,  
I'm always thinking of you  
they say love is blind  
when I look in your eyes,  
it's like the first time  
you know I'll always love you x9

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## **Penelope**

Ooh hiding  
under the bleachers  
waiting for the blue stars  
to come out  
Ooh ignoring all the teachers  
green grass eyes  
always met mine across the crowd

Oh how could I know how good I had it  
She told me everything  
about her favorite animal  
the saber tooth tiger  
her main man BB King

Ooh she gave  
my first kiss  
In an old canoe underneath  
that harvest moon

Ooh (5)

I hope we never get older  
We both knew that it was coming soon

Oh come and dance with me  
my Penelope  
She just turned away  
I would wait for you  
Oh you know it's true  
Till my dying day

Ooh x3

Ooh driving 'round  
in my Datsun  
pretending those high beams  
were an alien ship

Ooh I watch her dance  
in the hot sun  
showing off on the high dive  
with my backflip

Oh how could I know how good I had it  
She told me everything  
about her favorite animal  
the saber tooth tiger  
her main man BB King

When I saw her cross the room  
in in that purple dress  
Well I knew, it was all over  
You can't fight against a feeling  
you can't defend

I wish I could go over there  
and just tell her  
she would laugh  
honey, we're only friends

Oh how could I know how good I had it  
She told me everything  
about her favorite animal  
the saber tooth tiger  
her main man BB King

Ooh x3



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## Get Rid of You

Heys x3

Well it seems every week  
there's another one on the TV  
you change the channel, say  
it's never happen to me  
but just you wait and see  
'Cause you can't stop the kids from hearing that kind of blasting  
Echoing down the hallway  
like a bell  
ringing out in hell

Mmm  
Heys x2

When they ran out of Stoneman, ooh I was shaken  
Well they were locking it down  
and you could still hear the sound  
of bodies hitting the ground  
And all we ever see are the old folks  
doing nothing  
You can shove it where  
the sun don't shine  
with your thoughts and prayers  
who fucking cares

Well you know we got something to say  
so we're gonna say it.  
Yeah they know just what to do  
but you keep putting them  
in the back of the room  
They're just another bunch  
of loud mouth kids and that's the truth  
when they get a little older and wiser  
gonna get rid of you

Heys x2

It's just same old same old  
up there in Tallahassee  
a chorus of cowards and they keep voting no

yeah they were bought and they were sold out  
I tried not to cry out  
up there in the gallery  
Is your AR 15 worth more than my life  
how do you sleep at night?

Well you know we got something to say  
so we're gonna say it.  
Yeah they know just what to do  
but you keep putting them  
in the back of the room  
they're just another bunch  
of loud mouth kids and that's the truth  
when they get a little older and wiser  
gonna get rid of you

Oooh is it ever enough?  
Oooh how do you not get numb?  
We've already had this conversation  
and nothing gets done to stop it

It was the last day of February  
They went back to Stoneman  
They let 'em play Nintendo right there in Chemistry  
But everybody could still see  
the bullet holes above that poster of Abraham Lincoln  
and the seventeen funeral flowers still so green  
What does it all mean?

Mmm  
Heys x3

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## **Mirror**

Lately I've been thinking  
About that night and  
what happened to you  
I was older than you and I  
shoulda known better  
The full moon  
was like drunken-eye blinking

The forest came out of nowhere

Like a fist out from grandpa's farmland  
We thought it would be pretty funny  
To drive all night out to California

But we never made it past the river  
And now you're gonna be  
out there forever  
I'm looking at you,  
looking at me in the mirror  
I don't think I'm ready  
for your forgiveness

Ooh 2x

I know you don't want to talk about it  
You had to learn how to walk again  
And I bolted  
I wish I could drive you now on highway one along the sea  
Yeah you should have been  
in California with me

But we never made it past the river  
And now you're gonna be  
out there forever  
I'm looking at you,  
looking at me in the mirror  
I don't think I'm ready  
for your forgiveness

Ooh 2x

You seem happy where you are  
I'm not sure I can say the same  
I keep seeing the trees  
coming through the windshield  
We were so young you said  
there's no one to blame

But we never made it past the river  
And now you're gonna be  
out there forever  
I'm looking at you,  
looking at me in the mirror  
And I don't think I'm ready  
for your forgiveness

Far away from home  
Far away and all alone... 4x

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## **Ghost**

Ooh x4

It could never be  
you and me  
I've been waiting  
With the dogs looking for you

I moved into this house  
And you're all I think about  
make me shiver  
I feel you touching me too

I felt the smoke  
Wrap around me as I woke  
I can feel you pulling me to the darkness

I'm don't know if I can go  
I'm afraid of what's below  
How do I know you'll be waiting for me

It ended all too soon  
We had no honeymoon  
I burned my dress  
In the backyard slowly

I've been trying to move on  
they said that you were gone  
But the divers never found your body

Ooh x4

I want you babe  
now you're haunting me  
I'm here in limbo  
And I'm fading slowly  
You whisper in my ear  
I know you're not really here  
you keep calling

come with me  
Come with me  
Come come come with me!

One night I knew  
I was alone with you  
You were hovering above me at midnight

You lead me to the lake  
I felt my heart break  
black water is ripping me  
into the light

I felt the smoke  
Wrap around me as I woke  
I can feel you pulling me to the darkness

I'm don't know if I can go  
I'm afraid of what's below  
How do I know you'll be waiting for me

Ooh x4

I want you babe  
now you're haunting me  
I'm here in limbo  
And I'm fading slowly  
you whisper in my ear  
I know you're not really here  
You keep calling  
come with me  
Come with me  
Come come come with me!

Ooh x7

Come with me  
Come with me  
Come come come with me!

Ooh x7

Come with me  
Come with me  
Come come come with me!

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## **Nobody Knows (Is It You)**

Monday morning I woke up  
I didn't know who I was  
A broken soul in a motel room  
Living in my pharaohs tomb

But Tuesday morning I started to run across this country just because  
Like a Texas tornado in my Chevrolet smiling because I got it made

Oh oh oh oh nobody really knows  
where we're going going to  
Oh oh oh oh somebody's gotta know  
Tell me is it is it you

Wednesday morning came and went  
they say I ran for president  
Though nobody knew my name  
they voted for me just the same

Thursday morning in old DC  
Everybody's coming to see me  
They asked about my philosophy  
I said be strong and steady  
like an old oak tree

Oh oh oh oh nobody really knows  
where we're going going to  
Oh oh oh oh somebody's gotta know  
Tell me is it is it you

Hey hey  
Is it you?

Oh I got to know  
Got to know  
Oh why, I keep living like I'm dying  
Living like I'm dying  
Every night I wake up crying

Friday morning I resigned  
I'm moving to the country  
to grow my wine

keep it simple tell no lie  
Look everybody right in the eye

Saturday a big storm came  
it killed my crops so I ran away  
Sunday morning praying to the lord  
He said every broken window  
Opens a door

Oh oh oh oh nobody really knows  
where we're going going to  
Oh oh oh oh somebody knows  
Tell me do you do you?

Hey hey

Is it is it you  
Is it is it you  
Is it is it you  
Into 4x is it is it you

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## **Runaway**

La la la x2

I've been thinking about leaving everything behind  
Maybe all of this growing up  
no it isn't my style

I hear the voice of my father  
follow your heart  
My heart is a suitcase  
It's broken and battered and dark

Tell me why  
I should stay  
One more day

I've climbed the rock of Gibraltar  
like a stairway to the sky  
And I saw the glaciers of Alaska  
Waving goodbye

It's cold and its green  
In Austria's in the wet skull of Spain  
and I walked the wall in Jerusalem  
and I wondered what it all means

Tell me why  
I should stay  
One more day

I only feel at home  
When I'm so far away

Runaway run away with me  
Runaway run away with me

I held the hand of my grandfather  
As his spirit flew away  
Something in his eyes that said  
I'd be coming back someday

I see my darling  
Sleeping  
And my heart grows so still  
But then I think about getting out  
Like a horse charging a hill

Tell me why  
I should stay  
One more day  
I only feel at home  
When I'm so far away  
When I'm so far away

Runaway run away with me 3x

I've been thinking about leaving everything behind

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## **Just One Song**

Old freight train keeps rolling by  
Every thirty seconds behind the bar we're playing tonight  
It's rattling the walls



The air raid siren keeps going off  
Every other hour since four o'clock  
He says don't worry son  
There's only tornadoes in the fall

Well I don't know what I'm even doing here  
But I might as well put a smile upon my face  
Just in case somebody's feeling low down  
I can turn it around  
I can right a wrong  
Give me just one song

Now I could write a song about falling in love  
About the first time I held you oh we fit just like a glove  
But that would be dead wrong  
And people keep telling me write what you know  
And nobody wants to hear about us getting stuck in the snow  
Cause we forgot to put the chains on

Well I don't know what I'm even doing here  
But I might as well put a smile upon my face  
Just in case somebody's feeling low down  
I can turn it around  
I can right a wrong  
Give me just one song

Oooh, oooh X2

A woman came up to me the other day  
She been livin alone since her husband Roger  
He came home in a flag in a body bag  
Now every night she watches the band play  
She closes her eyes and oh she feels so far away  
Like Roger might come back

So you gotta a hole in your soul  
Everybody knows there's only one way  
To make it better  
On the day my daddy died my mama cried  
And you know that I didn't know what to say to her

So turn up the old car stereo  
The boss is singing all about that thunder road  
And that was daddy's song

Now everybody's singing at the top of their lungs

And for four minutes, forty-nine seconds it felt like we were  
Young again and nothing could ever go wrong

Well I don't know what I'm even doing here  
But I might as well put a smile upon my face  
Just in case somebody's feeling real low down  
I can turn it around  
I can right a wrong  
give me just one song

Ooooh, ooooh X2

Well I don't know what I'm even doing here  
But I might as well put a smile upon my face  
Just in case somebody's feeling low down  
I can turn it around  
I can right a wrong  
Give me just one song

I can turn it around  
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## **Let It Go**

I've been trying so hard to be  
a better version of me  
I found that note I wrote  
When I was twenty one years old  
I thought I'd figured it out

And I still don't know my fate  
And maybe I'll never escape  
I'm trying to let it go  
Let it go  
Let it go

Let it go  
Let it go  
Let it go  
Let it go

I'm made of the  
the ways of my mother  
And the ideals of my father  
And the spirit of my brother  
And the strength of my lover

Well you can't control everything  
there's no right way to do anything  
And like a bird with a broken wing  
I fall

And every time I think I've changed  
it all comes back and I'm still the same  
I'm trying to let it go...

Mama's got that tape of me  
Dancing at twenty three  
I still know the fear in those eyes  
Waiting to be criticized  
Not hearing the cheers

So every night I do my best  
Turn the lights on, pass the test  
Trying to let it go...

Why is it so hard to make a change?  
Break all my patterns and rearrange  
All I really want to be  
Is all the people that I see  
Who wait it out so patiently  
So patiently  
But I can barely breathe

I'm made of the stones of my hometown  
Of all my friends who ain't around no more  
And I every song that I sang  
In every dive when it's raining out

Well you can't control everything  
there's no right way to do anything

And so trying is the only thing  
You can do

I'm trying to let it go...  
I'm trying to let it go...  
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