

# Under the Eye

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When I was alone, all on my own  
I'd sit myself down and take a look around  
I'd think about my life, all the trouble and strife  
And the things which went wrong and lasted so long

When I was feeling bad, maybe lonely and sad  
I'd put my hands to my head and wonder where life led.  
And where I was going to when my journey was through  
But meanwhile up high I was always under the Eye.

The mystery of love, the push and the shove  
Of friendship betrayed, of plans I mislaid,  
The oceans I crossed, the things that I lost  
And the world in my hand as dreams turned to sand.

All the agony of pride of emotion that died  
Like a statue of stone, I thought I was all alone  
Oh but that was just a lie, darkness magnified,  
'Cause somewhere up high, I was always under the eye.

I shouldered my load, then I took off down the road  
I drove in my car, and I played my guitar, mon.

I crashed in a plane, I really damaged my brain  
And then I layed in my bed with all this music in my  
head.

The years have rolled by, I've watched the past die  
But feelings remained like mercy much strained.

Like a seed left unsown, like a leaf that was blown  
Like a man who was blind, there was a lock on my mind.

Then a man came to me and he held out the key  
And the lock hinge was blown, I had never been alone  
Yeah, that ws just a lie, darkness magnified  
And though I was not away, all the time my Father was  
there.