

# I Forget

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All my doctors and friends  
Have concocted these theories  
Weary of seeing me day after day  
On the edge of my bed  
Leery of living  
My laughter on hold  
My sadness on stay

And it's been this way for quite a while  
Yes, I forget how to smile  
I'd like to rely on my old game and yet  
Even that I forget  
It's not there, I regret

Couldn't get up today  
I pretended a fever  
Any excuse but the truth will do  
I don't lie very well  
No I'm not a deceiver  
But I can't bring myself to admit that I'm blue

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The clock and the calendar  
Both an assault  
Time goes so slow  
It must be my fault  
I act like I'm okay  
When I'm not okay at all

I forget what to do  
I forget what it all means  
Don't remember if love ever really felt good  
I forget to be here  
And not in-between  
I'd put on a good show  
If only I could

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I forget