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## **Glimmer and Circumstance**

Caught in the silver web of glimmer and circumstance  
The truth is that nothing was as it seemed to be

Tumbling further down  
Passion and alibis  
The truth is that nothing was as it seemed to me

Shattering innocence  
Always the burn of a breaking heart  
Always the hopes and fears that get in the way

I have unanswered questions  
Are they troubling you?  
Or do you dare to remember?

Mustering no defense  
Always the burn of a broken heart  
Always the hopes and fears that get in the way

Caught in the silver web of glimmer and circumstance  
The truth is that nothing was as it seemed to be

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## **Better Than Before**

I guess she's gone now and I feel so all alone  
As I hold on to the things we were  
I don't believe it all could come down oh-so-fast  
And I don't know even what was wrong

A thousand memories and a coffee cup gone cold  
While I sort out the pieces of my soul  
There's so much pain inside me waiting to be free  
While I wonder will there still be more

All along the beaches  
People waiting on the shore for something to help them feel secure  
All I know is where I've been and where I seem to be  
I've got to get moving

Well so long now  
It's been wonderful I'm sure  
But I'll come back better than before  
We'll take our walks, we'll turn our thoughts, we'll dream our dreams  
And I'll come back better than before

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## **Song To An Old Friend**

Well I know it should be simple – what I have to say  
Some things can change any day  
I've got to let you know before you have to go  
But then I suppose you already know  
Someday I will find my way  
Nothing more that I can say matters  
I'm learning now

I remember how we met but most of that is past  
The bad feelings go, the memories last  
And it's getting hard to find a friend who understands  
That life can't be lived on demand  
All the living that you've seen  
And still you're smiling  
And I've been thinking smiles are good signs

Well I know you must be tired and a bit afraid  
Never forget the love you've made  
I can guess how hard it must be not to let it show  
Maybe someday I will know  
I have learned so much from you  
What you say and what you do matter  
I'm learning now

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## **Wagon Train**

Get in line in the wagon train but leave your ways behind  
Your country is dying  
Everyone's trying  
Everyone's lying  
Ask the prairie man  
You'll find him in his land  
Where you laid him with your intentions of bringing him peace of mind  
But who's worried now?

Get your scouts for the wagon train but ask them what they find  
The fighting has ended  
Ways are not mended  
What if it ended with no one here at all in this precious land  
That you found in the morning when it could make you glad  
But who's laughing now?

I know it's hard when the wagon train comes holding out its hand  
But look where you're going  
The truth is for knowing  
No one is saying everything can live to see another spring  
But you're taking the love out of growing and living every day  
And who's dying now?

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## **I Love You As My Own**

Fresh as a brand new day  
You made me feel that way  
You gave me life again  
It was so easy then – easy just to love you  
Now we must be apart  
But you will always be in my heart  
I love you as my own

Please try to understand I was so sorry  
And it hurt so much to go  
And I hope you know I was thinking of you practically all the time  
Please forgive me if you can  
I was feeling so alone

I love you as my own  
I was feeling so alone  
I will always love you  
You were my night and day and I wanted so much to stay  
Just don't you go forget me  
The way of it never let me tell you this before now  
But now we must be apart  
You will always be in my heart  
I love you as my own

Once upon a time your smiling face would make each day brighter  
That will be your gift to me  
What I can't express in words I can in music  
That will be my gift to you

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## **Remember The Good You've Had**

Sit yourself down and give it some time  
And in a day or two it will all be fine  
'Cause nobody's won here and nobody's lost  
It was a case of some lover's coin being tossed  
What did you ask for? What did you give?  
Can you really deny that you still want to live?  
So just sit yourself down  
Remember the good you've had

Don't make it easy and don't ever lie  
And in a day or two it will all go by  
'Cause nothing's forever and nothing can last  
When it's a case of some love's right time being passed  
What did you bargain? What did you take?  
Can you really deny that you made a mistake?  
So just sit yourself down  
Remember the good you've had

Sit yourself down and turn it around  
And in a day or two it can turn into sound  
'Cause everything's changing and everyone's gone  
It was a case of some traveler traveling on  
What did you forfeit? What did you gain?  
Can you really deny that you rely on the pain?  
So just sit yourself down  
Remember the good you've had

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