

## ***What You Don't Say***

I try and read you like a book  
It's a dangerous thing for me  
In between the lines I look  
Working on a mystery

I can't begin to stop--voices in my head  
Speaking for you  
I'm filling in the blanks--wondering all the time  
I wish I knew

I don't always hear what you say when you say it  
It's what you don't say I always hear

You get your message across  
Do you send it with love to me?  
Or am I like an albatross  
Are you trying to break free

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## **Go Away**

Every day they roll you out  
Wrapped all shiny and new  
All the young hearts will soon be dying—  
Just to look at you  
You have the hair, you have the teeth  
You have the ads on TV  
And I've had all that I can bear  
It's time to clear the air

Why don't you---Go away  
You candy-coated, cover girls and canned, bland, sort-of man, boys  
Why don't you--Go away  
You say too much of nothing just to sell those sodas and toys  
Shame it's a ploy, I could have loved you

You get your songs from the factory  
And act as if you don't know  
You're singing nothing like something  
You put on a good show  
You have the moves, you have the look  
You do it all by the book  
They eat it up, yes, every crumb  
And love how you shake your bum—and then some (Chorus)  
Shame you're a koi (You decorative little bottom feeder, you)  
I could have loved you

I could have loved you sincerely  
If I couldn't see you so clearly  
And your little game nearly would have worked  
But you were hot-wired  
Some assembly required  
And it's time to put you out of my misery

Get all you can before it's too late  
And you reach your expiry date  
Then their love will turn to hate  
And they will all sing—with me  
Go away....Disappear...Hit the road...Leave us alone.....  
If I were a fool---I could have loved you

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## ***A Pile of Leaves***

We'd rake and we'd gather  
The tears of the trees  
Catch them in the breeze and build them high  
We'd climb to a summit  
And take to the air  
Looking back I'd swear, we could fly

On the ever-changing mountains  
Of gold, red and brown  
We floated down without concern  
For a time we would lie  
Smiling up at the clouds  
'Til a voice rang aloud, "It's my turn"

Many don't feel this anymore  
But I still believe  
They were magical hills, we had built  
Not just a pile of leaves

Then came an icy breath  
And a white blanket fell  
And we heard the knell, although...  
At times a brittle hand  
Forgotten from the fall  
Waved to us all from the snow

When the waters flowed  
And new life began  
We laughed and we ran  
Through the fields  
And looking up we knew  
The time would soon be here  
When our hills would reappear with autumn's yield

Many don't feel this anymore  
But I still believe  
They were magical hills, we had built  
Not just a pile of leaves

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## ***Peter Pan Wakes***

A lost boy was staring and comparing all to me  
He said there's some white hair that he can see  
It's not true  
Why say this to me?  
Don't you know I am meant to live--forever more

You think I'm mortal living in a bottle of time  
I don't believe I'll have to leave it all behind  
It's not true  
You tell such lies  
Don't you know I will never die?  
I just fly...

One day Tinker lingered close to my ear  
Her lips were a blur of words I tried to hear  
Speak up--  
Speak up and make it clear  
(You were always a little strange anyway)

Please, Wendy, help me, get back to my world  
You'll find the way, you are smart for a girl  
But even you--are not acting quite the same  
Have you changed?

Oh where's Neverland?  
Second to the right, straight on til morning?  
Is it second to the right, straight on til morning???

Even the Captain doesn't chase me anymore  
I long for the days of play when I fended off his sword  
What has happened to all I have known  
Have I---have I grown?  
Oh please, no.....please, NO!

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## ***Don't Trouble Trouble***

I used to worry  
Every minute of the day  
I looked for trouble  
When it wasn't in my way  
Then a fortune cookie told me what to do  
Don't trouble trouble 'til trouble troubles you  
Don't trouble trouble 'til trouble troubles you

It wasn't easy  
To let the worries go  
It took awhile  
Before I started to know  
That you might as well forget 'em, there's nothing you can do  
Don't trouble trouble 'til trouble troubles you  
Don't trouble trouble 'til trouble troubles you

Time to look up and see  
That there really is a blue sky  
Waiting for you to clear the view  
And change what you are looking through

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Time to look up and see  
That there really is a blue sky  
Waiting for you  
To clear the view...

So there you have it  
There's nothing more to say  
Life is better if you live it this way  
And if I can do it--I know that you can too  
Don't trouble trouble 'til trouble troubles you

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## ***The Other Side***

I can't believe you're back  
I saw you fade to black  
Can you tell me what's like--on the other side?  
Did you see anyone you know  
Touch the end of a rainbow  
Were all the answers waiting there--on the other side?

How could you be here, no one ever returns  
Is there much to fear, no one ever learns  
So tell me, tell me all about it  
Leave me no room to doubt it  
I really need to know--what it's like to go

I spoke to you everyday (Waiting for an answer)  
Could you hear me so far away  
Or did you find all contact lost--on the other side? (Chorus)

Why are they asking who I'm talking to?  
Can't they see it's you---it's you...

How could you be here, no one ever returns  
Is there much to fear, no one ever learns  
But I really need to know--what it's like to go

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## ***Who You Are Today***

Go to Sleep...

Fly away (fly away)  
Go where the sorrow takes you  
Back in time (fly away)  
To all the things that made you  
Who you are today  
Don't be afraid to see them

Walk along (walk along)  
Through the maze of indecision  
Find the pathways (walk along)  
The ones that brought you here to  
Where you are today  
Don't be afraid to retrace them

I know you often wish you could rest in peace  
But there's often more than we can see  
It may not be your time---yet

Wake up!

Now return (now return)  
To where you feel forsaken  
Here today (now return)  
There's a crack line in the shell of  
Who you're going to be  
Don't be afraid to bear it

I know you often wish you could rest in peace  
But there's often more than we can see  
It may be your time---soon

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## ***Wrong Once Before***

I know I'm dug in deep to my position  
I know you're well aware of this rendition  
But lately I have doubts  
Let's take a time-out  
I have a secret you should know about

It's hard for me to share this with you  
But you deserve nothing less than the truth  
So let me sit you down  
Prepare you best I can  
I hope and pray that you will understand  
And you'll never believe it...

I was wrong once before  
And I don't want to be wrong once more

I know this really alters your perceptions  
You've always thought of me as perfection  
& usually it's true  
There's no wrong I can do  
That's why I'm ashamed to admit this to you

I was wrong once before  
And I don't want to be wrong once more

Oh...we all have faults  
And this one's mine  
I've looked hard at myself  
& it's all I can find

I was wrong once before  
And I don't want to be wrong once more

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## ***The Warm Room***

You were the chosen one  
Taken from the lair  
Something in the eyes and that silken hair  
A promise to love, and a paper signed  
And all believed this tie would bind  
But you only wanted the one you knew--now so far away

You were dreaming of the warm room  
You left it much too soon  
All of your life you would try  
To find a way back inside

As a child you would hold  
All your love inside  
Until a book revealed  
A secret and the reason why  
You shared your discovery  
They told the truth of your history  
Though they tried to comfort you  
Your thoughts were miles away

### Chorus

All the friends and family  
All the love and flattery  
All the heroes, all the guides  
All the lovers by your side  
A world of kindness and of prayers  
Could not take you where you had to be

You are the chosen one  
Going forth into the past  
No longer a child  
But little fingers still search in vain...for the

Warm room  
You left it much too soon  
No door will remain untried  
To find a way back inside

## ***Loose Ends***

If I'd only had the time  
(I had the time)  
If I'd only known what to say  
(I knew what to say)  
I kept it all inside  
(And I never let you see)

Loose ends--often left untied  
Silent words--of love denied  
Float away on air  
Now beyond repair  
I wish I could have tied them all

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