

## Clockwork Creep

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"I'm a clockwork creep  
And I can't get to sleep  
They wind me up and let me go  
And I can't unwind  
Going out of my mind  
My time is coming soon you know"

Tick a tick a time bomb  
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"I'm a jumbo jet  
With a brand new set  
Of passengers and bags and crew  
I'll spread my wings -  
Do a thousand things  
To prove how good I am to you"

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Meanwhile in the cargo of escargot  
The temperature is rising  
Advertising that our time is running  
Down, down, down, down, down  
Oh with just one minute to live  
Oh, no you'll never get me up in one of these again  
'Cos what goes up must come  
Down, down, down, down, down  
Down, down, down, down, down

Oh, the gravity of the situation  
It's only my willpower  
That keeps this thing in operation  
But we're gonna crash that's for certain  
The pilot is too busy flirtin'  
And he ain't aware  
That there's a bomb down there  
And if he don't do something it's curtains

"Now just hold on,"  
Said the little bomb,  
"If you were just to hold my hands  
Then time would stop  
The plot would flop  
And jumbo would be safe to land"

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My landings are the envy

Of Sabena and Pan Am  
From Chattanooga to Japan  
I taxi through the airways -  
What a swell little plane  
What a fine little plane  
What a great little plane  
I am

"Hang on one sec  
I'm a clockwork wreck  
And though my fuse is burning slow  
Must keep my date to detonate  
Goodbye, ta ta, and cheerio

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