

# Joining You

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1. Dear darlin', your mom, my friend left a message  
On my machine she was frantic saying you were talking crazy  
That you wanted to do away with yourself  
I guess she thought I'd be a perfect resort  
Because we've had this inexplicable connection since our youth  
And yes they're in shock they are panicked  
You and your chronic them and their drama  
You this embarrassment us in the middle of this delusion

R: If we were our bodies, if we were our futures  
If we were our defenses I'd be joining you  
If we were our culture, if we were our leaders  
If we were our denials I'd be joining you

2. I remember vividly a day years ago we were camping  
You knew more than you thought you should know  
You said, "I don't want ever to be brainwashed"  
And you were mind boggling you were intense  
You were uncomfortable in your own skin  
You were thirsty but mostly you were beautiful

R: If we were our name tags, if we were our rejections  
If we were our outcomes I'd be joining you  
If we were our indignities, if we were our successes  
If we were our emotions I'd be joining you

3. You and I we're like four year olds  
We want to know why and how come about everything  
We want to reveal ourselves at will and speak out minds  
And never talk small and be intuitive  
And question mightily and find god my tortured beacon  
We need to find like-minded companions

R: If we were their condemnations, if we were their projections  
If we were our paranoias I'd be joining you  
If we were our incomes, if we were our obsessions  
If we were our afflictions I'd be joining you

We need reflection, we need a really good memory  
Feel free to call me a little more often