

## Stand

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I'm standing at the edge of space and time  
Deciding if my being alive is a crime  
And if I jump and sail out into the abyss  
How much will I really miss?

I'm inching closer, closer to my fate  
Lacking a back up plan or escape  
I'm just about to finally go and move ahead  
When a voice calls out to me  
Here's what it said:

STAND

Every woman and man  
This is a call for all to rise up and stand  
STAND

Every woman and man  
Raise up your voice and say that I can  
STAND

Every woman and man  
This is a call for all to rise up and  
All rise up and say...  
I CAN

Get back up on your feet  
You're much too strong to quit on me  
Now dry your eyes and brace your back  
Prepare for warfare  
Here comes the attack

You're nearly there so don't you stop  
Making your very own way to the top  
And when you see your victory  
Together we will be  
We're now free

Stand  
Everybody now:  
I CAN