

2002

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The year is 2002  
I'm doing exactly what I wanted to  
Baby I don't even think about you anymore

Just thought I'd drop you a line  
To let you know I was doing fine  
'Cause baby it's been a long, long time  
Since you walked out my door

It took me some time I must confess  
For a while there I was feeling less than my best  
Had get out of town so I headed out west  
Ended up in Seattle

I thought I'd start a brand new band  
Thought I might call it Lonelyland  
Things got a little out of hand  
Ended up hooked on heroin

So ended up moving back over to Germany  
Living with the folks baggin' grocery  
The time I had was mostly free  
I spent most of it drinking

I got myself in a jam or two  
Guess it's what I had to do  
Late at night I'd still thinkin' you  
Felt like I was drowning

I met this girl at a discotheque  
She is a dancer, baby, but not what you'd expect  
She taught ballet  
And she was half-Czech, half Chinese

But after she decided not to have the baby  
Said she might move back to the Mainland maybe  
But then I didn't really care  
I was half drunk, half crazy

Got arrested, but never convicted  
Parents eventually had me evicted  
Tried your number, it been disconnected  
Guess I should've known

Heard you got married and you moved away  
Called your folks but where they wouldn't say  
Said it's probably better that way  
So I just let it be

Moved back to Austin 'bout a year ago  
Drive a school bus I don't drink no more  
Go out every once in a while and see show  
But mostly I just watch TV

So I don't know where I'm gonna send this letter  
I doubt things are ever going to get much better  
Seems like life's one big whatever

Anyway

Just thought I'd drop you a line  
Lie and say I was doing fine  
'Cause baby it's been a long, long time  
Since you walked out my door