

## Open

Bruce Cockburn

I never live with balance  
I always wake up nervous  
Light comes at me sideways  
I hold my breath forever

I never live with balance  
Though I've always liked the notion  
I feel that endless hunger  
For energy and motion

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I never live with balance  
I wanna feel you near me  
There's an aching in my hipbone  
Wanna let my heart drop open  
It's daylight in the city  
There's thumping in the stairwell  
Kundalini sunrise  
A clamoring of church bells

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You like to let me worry  
But I don't take you for granted  
Come over here and kiss me  
I'm savoring your picture  
The street is filled with noises  
Life going up and down  
Light comes at you sideways  
Enfolds you like a gown

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