

# The Captain and Me

The Doobie Brothers

Deep as a river, wide as the sea  
Changing the ways of a captain and me  
I could be happy, Lord, so then should he  
If all of the universe unveiled itself to me  
So then a day flows into night  
Down the street the beggar man who finds himself in wine  
If I am a good man and sure in all my ways  
The captain of a starship that's homeward bound today

Growing, growing, changing every day  
Knowing, showing all my worldly ways  
Hear the chimes, hear how they ring  
Marking time all through the day

A whisper, an answer, a cry in the night  
Break down, turn around, a feeling of fright  
The Indian, the Black man, the Asian who see  
A door that is opening, and they're going to be free

Growing, growing, changing every day  
Knowing, showing all my worldly ways  
Hear the chimes, hear how they ring  
Marking time all through the day

We are all acceptable  
We are all a place in time  
Moving through a passageway  
Bringing forth the end of time

Growing, growing, changing every day  
Knowing, showing all my worldly ways  
Hear the chimes, hear how they ring  
Marking time all through the day

Light the fire, start the day  
Mark the light that shows the way  
Changing times of fortunes past  
We will all be free at last

We are the people of the roundabout  
We are the sails upon the sea  
We're gonna be there when everybody laughs about  
The way that we are changing, you and me, yeah  
We are the people of the roundabout  
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The way that we are changing, you and me  
We are the people of the roundabout  
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