

# The Truth

Foster the People

I've been trying to re-learn my name  
It seems like a thousand years  
I've been out of frame  
And I surrender the truth is what  
What I've needed from you  
I've been floating within your walls of opinion  
And I'm tired - I only want the truth

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I have found they don't ever say what they mean  
There is a truth, there is a light if you'd follow me there  
I've been searching for directions and  
I'm convinced the world doesn't know what it needs  
There is a hope for the hopeless, I can promise you that

Yeah, well I been accosted  
The jury's been partial  
But I won't surrender  
To prove to you I won't lie  
Under pressure of compromise  
An absolute measure won't change with opinion  
No matter how hard you try  
It's an immovable thing  
Like the visions in your bed  
Or when they're streaming in your head

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There is a hope  
I'll come back  
If you're leading my hand  
The world is so broken  
I'm tripping my steps  
I'm slipping and I know why  
I never thought that I'd be here  
A blinding call to prayer  
Has touched my feet  
Like the call of the prophets  
A purpose is needed before you now that you know  
To never wonder what you are  
And not forget where you come from

Is it really love you've been speaking of?  
What'd you say? What'd you say?  
I said that you need me, don't you?  
There is a truth, I can promise you that  
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The truth stands in the end  
While you're deciding what to do  
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