

## The Universe Expanded

Franz Ferdinand

I'll give you each love letter back  
We'll laugh before every joke is told  
We'll pose after every photograph  
Has been removed from the negative

[indistinct muttering]

With every smile we lose a line  
Watch the stars fall back into the sky  
Cork the wine  
Unbake a cake  
Take the dog back to the RSPCA

But I don't mind losing you this time

I'll meet you coming backwards  
I'll meet you coming back  
When the universe has expanded  
Time will contract  
You'll come back  
I'll meet you coming backwards  
Next time

We make-up start an argument  
Tears crawl back into your...  
I turn from a friend  
Of your friend  
Unintroduced  
Forget your name forevermore

But I don't mind losing you this time

I'll meet you coming backwards...  
Yes I'll meet you coming back  
But we move forwards  
Into emptiness  
Into the void  
Into the universe

We'll part as happy strangers  
From a long friendship  
That grew from  
Such a love