

# King Of The World

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Once upon a time I had tides to control  
I had moons to spin  
And stars to ignite  
And they threw flowers at my feet  
When I walked through the town

Once upon a time I had lives to protect  
I had rules to change  
And wrongs to set right  
And there were people at my side  
And there were rivers I could guide  
I wanted nothing in return

Let me out of here  
Give me back all my dreams  
Let me out of here  
Let please see the sun  
Let me out of here  
At least tell me what I did wrong

I'm king of the world  
Chief of the sea  
High in the wind  
At least I used to be  
And I'm king of the world  
Please set me free  
Let me remind them of my promise  
Live my given destiny

Once upon a time I had fate in my hands  
And the confidence of a million regimes  
And they said, "Brother you're in charge  
We'll follow anything you say"

Once upon a time Father said to me,  
"Child you are everything  
That you see in your dreams"  
And I thought, Jesus, that's the key  
There are no walls surrounding me  
There are no prisons in this life

Let me out of here  
Give me back to the wind  
Let me out of here  
Let me please see my son  
Let me out of here  
Don't you understand who I am?

I'm king of the world  
Chief of the sea  
High in the wind  
At least I try to be  
And I'm king of the world  
Please set me free  
I had the power and the promise  
Give me back my family

Why are we punished for wanting to explore?  
Why am I sitting in this cell?  
I was not challenging the system  
I was working for the people  
I just wanted to be better

Why are we punished for wanting to survive?  
Why am I locked behind these bars?  
Tell the children I'll return to them  
Tell them . . . Someone,  
Let them know I will be free

I will not be defeated  
I will stand like a mountain  
And the road will stretch before me  
And they'll know it's time to follow

And we'll lift our eyes  
And raise our heads  
And face the sun  
And tell the future  
I'm king of the world  
Land of the free  
High in the sky  
The best that I can be  
And I'm king of the world  
Watch and you'll see  
Nothing can stop me from tomorrow,  
Keep me from my destiny

I'm king of the world  
I'm king of the world  
I'm . . . I'm . . .  
At least I used to be