

# When Giants Walked

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- R: Oh, take me in a dream or real  
To that old time the earth once knew  
When all the lands alive with legend  
Shared a future bright and new  
When all the animals were tame  
When every creature talked  
When giants walked
1. Before peculiar was a sin  
The world was playground for us all  
And giants were our gentle friends  
Before we took that tragic fall  
And light was dripping honey  
On the mountains and the shore  
But no one speaks of giants anymore
  2. Before peculiar was a sin  
When honor-bound was something real  
Before all creatures learned to fear  
Before we learned to lie and steal  
The giants danced in circles  
'Round the fires we built to share  
And now we cannot find them anywhere
  3. And then peculiar turned to sin  
And different meant a friendship's death  
And all the rare and special beasts  
Stopped in their tracks and held their breath  
And when the giants saw this  
There was nothing left to say  
And that was when the giants went away
  4. Yes, when peculiar turned to sin  
They gathered in their giant hands  
The different and defenseless fey  
The strangest creatures in the lands  
And carried them away  
Before another day could dawn  
And still nobody knows where they have gone
  5. So now peculiar is a sin  
And honor is a useless token  
Different means a life alone  
And love is better left unspoken  
Everyone who lives outside  
The circle that we've chalked  
Would love to go to where the giants walked
  6. And if peculiar is a sin  
Then mark me with a sinners brand  
And if the gods are kind to me  
I'll climb into some gentle hand  
And leave behind a world so blind  
It cannot see my face  
And go to where peculiar is a grace