

## This Time

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I used to think that it was only me  
the way my world collides  
with every truth I seek  
and how I couldn't keep myself  
from falling deep into  
the waiting void that I have left in me

You used to think that it was only you  
the way my world revolved  
around the things you do  
and how I couldn't keep myself  
from falling through into  
the waiting void and how  
that still seems true

If I was made to fly and you were gone  
could I, without the strings you tie,  
make it and make it alone  
this time

I've never come this far

I used to keep a little piece of mind  
I kept it tucked behind my ear  
a little light that I could ride away  
upon in troubled times  
it's just another part of me  
that I can't find

I've never come this far  
but I know I want to stay here  
for the moment I can see  
why you had to let me feel this way  
I wouldn't cry if I didn't know  
that I could have been here yesterday  
but I wouldn't have tried  
without you on my side,  
if you hadn't let me go  
and you didn't want to know  
if I was...

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