

## 19 Seventy Sumthin'

Neck Deep

Let's start it here  
Back in nineteen-seventy-sumthin'  
I can't pin down the year  
When the romance wasn't dead  
And love still stood for something  
There was a girl who had lost her way  
She blushed red when he came over  
And they danced the night away  
And he sung as he drove her home and  
It was there that she would say  
If I could then I would save you  
And he smiled and turned away  
In six weeks they're saying "I do"  
Oh, love just don't go that way no more

In life the seed becomes the tree  
Would take shape of a family  
We grow and we change  
And face the rain like you wouldn't believe  
And through it all  
We're standing tall  
And we just don't say it enough  
If not for you, no we wouldn't be standing at all

And now it's nineteen-ninety-sumthin'  
How the hell did we end up here?  
Four kids and a few jobs later  
And the pictures fill the pages  
It's been hard, oh it's been hard  
But you'd be a fool to give it up  
'Cause you know that what we've got is bigger than the two of us  
It's been hard, oh it's been hard  
But it's bigger than the two of us  
And I will hold you in my arms  
When you feel like giving up  
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And now it's two-thousand-and-sumthin'  
We made it here my dear  
Grandkids and the mortgage paid off  
Is this what dreams are made of?  
'Cause baby we made it  
Yeah baby you saved me  
But nothing could save him  
From the ambulance that day  
When he went away  
The heart attack was sharp  
He didn't feel no pain

If you saw him now then what  
What would you say  
I love you and I miss you  
I owe you everything  
And I hope you know you saved me

Oh mother  
Mother please don't cry  
'Cause you know I miss him too  
I didn't even say goodbye  
And though he's gone, I know he's gone  
He lives on in all of us  
And I will hold you when you cry  
'Cause that's what he would have done  
Yeah, that's what he would have done  
Yeah, that's what he would have done  
It's been hard, oh it's been hard  
But he's apart of all of us  
And we will hold you when you cry  
'Cause that's what family does