

Quiet Steam

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Stand back
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What are those dogs doing, sniffing at my feet
They're onto something, pickin' up, pickin' up
This heat
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Give me steam
How you feel can make it real
Get a life with this dreamer's dream
Oh, give me steam
Real as anything you see
Get a life in this dreamer's dream

You know your culture from your trash
You know your plastic from your cash
When I lose sight of the track
You know the way back
But I know you

You know your stripper from your paint
You know your sinner from your saint
Whenever heaven's doors are shut
You get them open, but
I know you

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You know your green from your red
You know the quick from the dead
So much better than the rest
You think you've been blessed
But I know you

You know your ladder from your snake
You know the throttle from the brake
You know your straight line from the curve
You've got a lot of nerve
But I know you

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Oh, give me steam
Real as any place you've been
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Oh yeah, I need steam
Feel your steam around me

Turning up the heat

I start to dream aloud
You move my hands and feet
Won't you step into this cloud
Of steam
This steam

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Give me steam
How you feel can make it so real
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Help me yeah
Comin' alive
In your steam
Comin' alive
In your steam
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