Lunar Lullaby

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Thousands of miles without moving In the silence and stillness we're turning Who scattered the stars in the field of night? Say it's all right, say it's all right, Well say it's all right.

Ocean storm-thrown boats collide With waves of no direction With compass set up on a star Head for the port's protection.

Faster than light we're not ageing, So where does the time go we're saving? Give me a sermon for sleep tonight Won't you say it's all right, say it's all right, Well say it's all right.

And the driftwood it collides With blind boats on the water Oh, sad I watched the moon fall down, But the river safely caught her.

Confusion of stars where's the pattern To chart us away from collision? We are dust, we are spark, we were light before dark It was all right, it is all right, And it'll be all right.

Above, below, worlds collide In the before and after Oh happy to watch the sun go down And join the angels' laughter.