

# I Am A Child

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I am a child  
I am a sanctuary  
Wild at my mother's knee  
Freedom has a piece of me  
Every night I run away  
Loose the nooses and drift astray  
Chasing dreams into outer space  
Trying to face  
The day  
Living life  
Against the law  
Forcing us all to endure  
Sneaking home to close the door  
Every night we run away  
Loose the nooses and drift astray  
Chasing dreams into outer space  
Trying to face  
The day  
Every night we do our best to lose it  
Skinning up and chasing better days  
Getting up and moving to the music  
O dance my darling lady fair  
My darling mayflower  
Show me just how much you dare  
Forget our daytime labour  
We're in the wind  
You feel us in the breeze  
Teaching leaves  
To grow the trees  
Smoothing  
Daytime memories  
And every night we run away  
Loose the nooses and drift astray  
Chasing dreams into outer space  
Trying to face  
The day