

21st Century Life

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When I was a little boy
Living in the last century
I thought about living in the future
Then it occurred to me
I turned around the future was now
The future was all around me
Nothing like I imagined
It was totally confounding

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I got 21,000 things that I got to do today
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The new world got me feeling so dirty
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Well now I turned on the TV just in time to hear what the Pope said, Pope said
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And just a few tiny words later
Somebody wants the man dead
What about famine and disease
Well they said it's too bad
Because I'm never alone
It's not just a phone
It's a stereo

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Now I'm not a little boy
I'm in the 21st century
Well you might think we've come a really long way, but there's still no equality
I watched the news on my computer screen
Talking about buying my weed out of a vending machine
You tell me I'm free
But how can it be
When you're always watching me on the CCTV

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I'm talking about 21, 21