

# Illusion & Control

Saosin

Are you settling?  
The faces, the shadows are fading away  
Wasting it all, wasting it all  
Without any direction  
And I can't settle down  
Without losing something else

(Ooh, all right)  
We're entitled in a fallen realm  
(Ooh, all right)  
Nothing's ever done

Dare I place it all inside of  
Something I can't reach  
Without knowing that I can make it on my own  
We could never know

Is it close enough?  
Tracing the outline it's fading away  
Wasting it all, wasting it all  
Without any direction  
And I need something more  
Could you make it feel safe?

(Ooh, all right)  
We existed in a different place  
(Ooh, all right)  
Nothing's ever done

Dare I place it all inside of  
Something I can't reach  
Without knowing that I can make it on my own  
We could never know

([Reversed:] I can't settle down without using someone else)  
We we're all wrong, all the opposition's gone (opposition's gone)  
I needed it all, all the conflicts of our past (conversation's gone)  
I can't settle down without using someone else

I've been counting the seconds after the handshakes  
I know you sound well, it's such a bad drug  
You made a promise, I looked away  
I'll never forget the illusion take out your portrait  
Out of a shadow, out of an idea  
You never had it, you never want it  
You never could, I'll never forget that