

# Let It All Fall Down

James Taylor

Sing a song for the Wrong  
And the Wicked and the Strong  
And the Sick, as thick as thieves  
For the faceless fear that was never so near  
Too clear to misbelieve

Well the sea is jumping salty  
And the porpoise has the blues  
My recollection's faulty  
And I cannot find my shoes  
And my wiring is misfiring  
Due to cigarettes and booze  
I'm behind in my dues  
I just now got the news  
He seems to tell us lies  
And still we will believe him  
Then together he will lead us  
Into darkness, my friends

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The man says stand to one side, son  
We got to keep this big ball rolling  
It's just a question of controlling  
For whom the bell is tolling

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There'll be suffering and starvation  
In the streets young man  
Just where have you been, old man  
Just look out of your window, man

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Well, it ain't nobody's fault but our own  
Still, at least we might could show the good sense  
To know when we've been wrong  
And it's already taken too long  
So we bring it to a stop  
Then we take it from the top  
We let it settle on down softly  
Like your gently falling snow  
Or let it tumble down and topple  
Like the temple long ago

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