

# The Gap

Thompson Twins

Wake up in a strange land, one of forty thieves  
And I see for the first time just what you believe  
I go down to the market where I can buy or sell  
And listen to the chanting and all the lies the wise ones tell

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Two diff'rent colors on the map  
We say break the line, chew the fat  
a keep moving out into the gap

Beggars in the back street, there for all the world to leave  
It's you that's begging for attention  
Well it's all the same to me  
And I won't ask permission, not from teachers or from kings  
Cause I can see for myself all the pain that you will bring

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Can you smell the perfume of a hundred thousand years?  
Dare you look into the eyes that hide a hundred million tears?  
But there's no need to be so frightened of all the figures in the night  
Cause we share the same emotions and no one's wrong and no one's right

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