

# Do We Dare

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The prayers that we pray in foxholes and funerals  
The songs that we sing in delivery rooms  
The questions we ask when nobody's listening  
But the man in the moon  
The way our hearts beat, faced with a sunrise  
Like maybe they know something we don't  
But it's all in code and we can't decode it  
Or maybe we won't  
Do we dare pay attention, dare even mention  
The mystery we find ourselves caught in  
And do we dare to remember  
All that we have forgotten  
Each breath that we take, we take for granted  
So if there are clues we remain unaware  
All the days of our lives burn down like matches  
Vanish into thin air  
But there are dreams that we dream when we least expect them  
And memories that come like unbidden tears  
All the things we believed when we were just children  
It's been so many years  
Do we dare pay attention, dare even mention  
The mystery we find ourselves caught in  
And do we dare to remember  
All that we have forgotten  
We are battered and torn from the day we are born  
In a world that has blinded and bound us  
Is it any surprise we don't open our eyes  
To the truth that's disguised all around us?  
Like the secrets we keep, we don't know we're keeping  
From before there was time, before there were lies  
Can we find you again, this far from the garden?  
Do we dare even try?  
Do we dare pay attention, dare even mention  
The mystery we find ourselves caught in  
And do we dare to remember  
All that we have forgotten?  
Forgotten, forgotten

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