Heaven's Here On Earth

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You can look to the stars in search of the answers Look for God and life on distant planets Have your faith in the ever after While each of us holds inside the map to the labyrinth And heaven's here on earth

We are the spirit the collective conscience We create the pain and the suffering and the beauty in this world Heaven's here on earth

In our faith in humankind In our respect for what is earthly In our unfaltering belief in peace and love and understanding

I've seen and met angels wearing the disguise Of ordinary people leading ordinary lives Filled with love, compassion, forgiveness and sacrifice Heaven's in our hearts

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> Look around Believe in what you see The kingdom is at hand The promised land is at your feet We can and will become what we aspire to be If Heaven's here on earth

If we have faith in humankind And respect for what is earthly And an unfaltering belief that truth is divinity And heaven's here on earth

I've seen spirits I've met angels I've touched creations beautiful and wondrous I've been places where I question all I think I know But I believe, I believe, I believe this could be heaven

We are born inside the gates with the power to create life And to take it away The world is our temple The world is our church Heaven's here on earth

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