

# Take a Picture of This

[Don Henley](#)

A long long time ago  
When we were young and pretty  
We ruled the world, we stopped the time, we knew it all, we owned this city  
Running with the crowd, carefree and proud I heard somebody say Take a picture of this  
Ooh, take a picture of this The years went rushing by, in the twinkling of an eye, we rolled with the changes  
Our life we knew was gone  
Our friends had all moved on, time rearranges  
But on our wedding day, they all came back to say, congratulations Take a picture of this  
Ooh, take a picture of this Then we raised a family of our own  
We were so happy baby  
But now those kids have grown and gone I gave it everything I had  
Through the good times and the bad  
But now I'm down here on the floor  
'Cause I don't know you anymore Yeah that's a suitcase, yeah that's a ticket for a plane  
There's no one here to talk to, no reason to remain  
When you spend all your time living in the past  
With all those pictures that you took  
Here's one more for the book Take a picture of this, this is me leaving  
Take a picture of this, this is me walking away  
Take a picture of this, take a picture of this  
Take a picture of this

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