

# Mental

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On this lonely stretch of solitude  
I'm thinking 'bout the things that I never do  
    All the promises that I made to you  
Well, they're just words, they're only words  
    It took so long for me to recognize  
    All this confidence that I couldn't find  
I used to dim my light, so you could shine  
    And that's what hurts, it really hurts  
    I wanna do everything right  
    But everything's going wrong  
    I wanna feel heaven on earth  
    But nothing ever lasts that long  
    Baby, I'm goin' mental  
    So much potential  
I can't stand to watch it withering away  
    It's out of control now  
    It's getting old now  
    And I can't afford to waste another day  
Well, dust keeps piling up on the window sill  
Man, if you don't know by now, I guess you never will  
    But there's no benefit in standing still  
    Not for you, no, no, and not for me  
    But I wanna make everything work  
        Something's just gotta give  
        I gotta start putting me first  
        It's killing me the way it is  
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