

# Reelin' In the Years

## Steely Dan

Your everlasting summer you can see it fading fast  
So you grab a piece of something that you think is gonna last  
Well you wouldn't even know a diamond if you held it in your hand  
The things you think are precious I can't understand Are you reelin' in the years  
Stowin' away the time?  
Are you gatherin' up the tears?  
Have you had enough of mine? Are you reelin' in the years  
Stowin' away the time?  
Are you gatherin' up the tears?  
Have you had enough of mine? You been tellin' me you're a genius since you were seventeen  
In all the time I've known you I still don't know what you mean  
The weekend at the college didn't turn out like you planned  
The things that pass for knowledge I can't understand Are you reelin' in the years  
Stowin' away the time?  
Are you gatherin' up the tears?  
Have you had enough of mine? Are you reelin' in the years  
Stowin' away the time?  
Are you gatherin' up the tears?  
Have you had enough of mine? I spent a lot of money and I spent a lot of time  
The trip we made to Hollywood is etched upon my mind  
After all the things we've done and seen you find another man  
The things you think are useless I can't understand Are you reelin' in the years  
Stowin' away the time?  
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Have you had enough of mine?

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