Ship in a Bottle

Bright Eyes

I wanna be the surgeon that cuts you open

That fixes all of life's mistakes

I wanna be the house that you were raised in

The only place that you feel safeI wanna be your shower in the morning

That wakes you up and makes you clean

I know I'm just the weather against your window

As you sleep through a winter's dreamSomething's churning the earth, something's stirring the sky

Every color at once in a column of light

Bacteria breeds on a microscope slide

The worm in my heart's the apple of your eyeDon't adore what is impossible

We have built this ship in a wine bottle

But if you knew how it worked

We would have to grow oldSomething's eating at you, wakes you up in the night

If you dig in past, who knows what you'll find

Read the newspaper, print off the microfiche slide

And your holding your breath for the rest of your lifeDon't you love what is intangible

I have built this ship in a wine bottle

But if you knew who I was

You would never grow old

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