

# How Many Lies? (Live from the N.E.C.)

## Spandau Ballet

Once there were times  
Once there were reasons filled with rhymes  
Everything shared, everything told  
You keep me so warm  
Protect me from all those mighty storms  
And dreams seem so old  
So look at us now just look at us now  
With our hands on our hearts  
And lines on our brow  
How many lies must we tell?  
How many lies must we see?  
How many times must we say it's for the best?  
And leave truth as the casualty?  
Do you read through the lines  
Or believe the TV and the Times?  
Where can we find more ways to see?  
You strain on the truth  
And make believe all when you cry wolf  
And the lies you're giving me  
So look at us now just look at us now  
With our hands on our hearts  
And lines on our brow  
How many lies must we tell?  
How many lies must we see?  
How many times must we say it's for the best?  
And leave truth as the casualty?  
Oh well the truth is hard  
So when they write the book  
Fiction's what you wanna be  
Well it's your freedom of choice  
But you know that lies are the cancer of democracy  
You've painted your face  
And now you've tainted your words  
And now you're ready and armed with love  
Well if you're head is steady  
And your soul is ready  
We're going up above  
So whatever you wanna be  
Just come on along with me  
If there's truth in our hearts  
Maybe we can break free  
How many lies must we tell?  
How many lies must we see?  
How many times must we say it's for the best?  
And leave truth as the casualty?  
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How many lies must we see?  
How many times must we say it's for the best?  
And leave truth as the casualty?

How many times must we say it's for the best?  
And leave nothing yeah

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