

# The Background

## Third Eye Blind

Everything is quiet since you're not around  
And I live in the numbness now  
In the background  
I do the things we did before  
I walk [Incomprehensible] street to the store  
And they say where's that crazy girl  
You don't get drunk on red wine and fight no more  
I don't see you anymore  
Since the hospital  
The plans I make still have you in them  
'Cause you come swimmin' into view  
And hanging on your words like I always used to do  
The words they use so lightly, I only feel for you  
I only know because I carry you around  
In the background  
I'm in the background  
Girls they come and memories all repeat  
I lift your head while they change the hospital sheets  
Ey, I would never lie to you, no

I would never lie to you, no  
I felt you long after we were through  
We were through  
The plans I make still have you in them  
'Cause you come swimming into view  
And hanging on your words like I always used to do  
The words we use so lightly, I only feel for you  
I only know because I carry you around  
In the background  
'Cause I felt you long after we were through  
When you come swimmin' into view  
And hanging on your words like I always used to do  
(Swimmin' into view)  
The words they use so lightly, I only feel for you  
(Swimmin' into view)  
I only know because I'm way, I'm way  
In the background  
I'm in the background

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