

# When Your Feet Don't Touch the Ground

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When did life become so complicated?  
Years of too much thought and time I wasted  
And in each line upon my face  
Is proof I fought and lived another day  
When did life become this place of madness?  
Drifting on an empty sea of waves and sadness?  
I make believe I'm in control  
And dream it wasn't all my fault  
When your feet don't touch the ground  
When your voice won't make a sound  
Here, it's safe, in this place, up off the clouds  
When your feet don't touch the earth  
You can't feel the things that hurt  
And you're free, there's no need to come down  
When your feet don't touch the ground  
Everyday just feels a little longer  
Why am I the only one not getting stronger?  
Running around pretending life's a play  
It doesn't make the darkness go away  
I may be young but I can still remember  
Feeling full of joy, crying tears of laughter  
Now all my tears are all cried out  
Make-believe, but count me out  
Cause my feet are on the ground  
And the inner voice I found  
Tells the truth, "There's no use  
If your head's in the clouds"  
With my feet on solid earth  
I can face the fates that hurt  
And in time, I'll be fine  
I'll come 'round  
I was once like you  
Life was a maze  
I couldn't find my way out  
But what I say is true  
You will be amazed  
Make-believe and you will find out that it's true  
When your feet don't touch the ground  
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