

# The Dream (Hold On to Your Dream)

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I've been chasing dreams for so long  
Just one step behind and then they're gone  
Illusions of love would come and go  
I guess you have to hurt before you grow  
And everybody knows  
Never let go of the, never let go of the dream I always seem to lose what I thought was mine  
And many times I tried to leave it behind  
Deep inside, hope was still alive  
Deep inside, dreams will never die  
That is why we're movin' closer to the truth It's really great for me to be here  
I've won over the pain and the fear  
It's been so very hard through the years  
Been looking through a rainbow of tears  
And still I never really let go of the dream Sometimes I saw my life just falling apart  
And all the rejection tearing at my heart  
Deep inside, hope was still alive  
Deep inside, dreams will never die  
If you try there'll be so much more for you It's really great for me to be here  
I've won over the pain and the fear  
It's been so very hard through the years  
Been looking through a rainbow of tears  
And still I never really let go of the dream We can all be free, we hold the key  
If we can see what we want to be  
Life's never easy, you get no guarantees  
Why not give your all and see what you can find?

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