Time Passages

Al Stewart

It was late in December, the sky turned to snow
All round the day was goin' down slow
Night like a river beginning to flow
I felt the beat of my mind go
Drifting into time passages
Years go falling in the fading light
Time passages

Buy me a ticket on the last train home tonightWell I'm not the kind to live in the past

The years run too short and the days too fast

The things you lean on, are the things that don't last

Well it's just now and then, my line gets cast into these

Time passages

There's something back here that you left behind Oh, time passages

Buy me a ticket on the last train home tonightHear the echoes and feel yourself starting to turn Don't know why you should feel

That there's something to learn

It's just a game that you playWell the picture is changing,now you're part of a crowd
They're laughing at something, and the music's loud
A girl comes towards you, you once used to know
You reach out your hand, but you're all alone in these

Time passages

I know you're in there, you're just out of sight
Oh, time passages
Buy me a ticket on the last train home tonight

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