## **Wake Up (It's 1984)**

## Oingo Boingo

Wake up, won't you listen to me?

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Won't you listen to me, won't you listen to me? Big brother's watching, we watch him back

We see right through his disguise

He tries to scare us with angry words

But we all know that they're lies

Whole world is waiting

Just see the fear in their eyesWhole world is watching, observing every move

Is it beginning or the end?

Just like a chess game, but so intense

That I just don't understand

Anticipation, it's much to big to pretendWake up, it's 1984

Wake up, but we've been here before

Wake up, it's 1984

Wake up, but we've been here before, here beforeBig brother's screaming but we don't care

'Cause he's got nothing to say

Think of the future, think of the prophecy

Think of the children of today

Big brother's marching

So we all stand in his wayOpen your eyes sisters and brothers

Neatly disguised, so far away

Open your heart, try to remember

Two worlds apart but so closeWake up, it's 1984

Wake up, but we've been here before

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Wake up, but we've been here before, here beforeAll our lives leading up to this day, watching and waitingWake up, wake up

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