

ETERNAL LIGHT



MUSIC AND LYRICS BY CHARLIE WINTON (BMI) © 2024

CHARLIE WINTON – ACOUSTIC GUITARS, LEAD VOCALS
SCOTT MATHEWS – DRUMS, BASS, ELECTRIC GUITARS,
ACOUSTIC GUITARS, HAMMOND, PIANO, WURLITZER, FARFISA,
PUMP ORGAN, LAP & PEDAL STEEL GUITARS, MELLOTRON,
DULCIMER, BANJO, PERCUSSION, TROMBONES & BACKING VOCALS

PRODUCED BY SCOTT MATHEWS

ENGINEERED BY TOM LUEKENS

MIXED BY SCOTT MATHEWS, TOM LUEKENS, AND CHARLIE WINTON
MASTERED BY TOM LUEKENS

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MELATRON MUSIC

HUGE THANKS TO SCOTT & TOM FOR THE CREATIVE HIGH TIME
AND MAKING THE SESSIONS SO MUCH FUN

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3. LONG ROAD (2:43)

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WE WERE YOUNG
OH, WE WERE STRONG
HAVE OUR FUN
CARRY ON

OH, IT'S A LONG ROAD, WALK TOGETHER
OH, IT'S LONG ROAD, LOVE EACH OTHER

SAY YOUR SAY
OH, IT'S HOW YOU FEEL
DIVINE TRUTH
C'MON AND MAKE IT REAL

OH IT'S A LONG ROAD, LOVE EACH OTHER
OH, IT'S A LONG ROAD, WALK TOGETHER

SEASONS CHANGE
SOMETIMES THE WORLD TURNS BLUE
OPEN YOUR HEART
AND LET THE LOVE SHINE THROUGH

OH, ITS A LONG ROAD, WALK TOGETHER
OH, IT'S A LONG ROAD, LOVE EACH OTHER

RETURN TO THE MOMENT
WE CAME FROM
YOU WILL SEE
WE CAN MAKE THIS RUN

OH, IT'S A LONG ROAD, LOVE EACH OTHER
OH, IT'S A LONG ROAD, WALK TOGETHER
GONNA WALK TOGETHER
WALK TOGETHER
WALK TOGETHER
WALK

4. ANGEL OF MERCY (4:44)

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PICK ME UP BABY, I'M GOIN' DOWN SLOW
WHERE WE'RE HEADING, WHO KNOWS
TOLL'S BEEN TAKEN, THE LAST STAND
FRUIT OF OUR LABOR,
SLIDING THROUGH OUR HANDS

ANGEL OF MERCY, SHOW US THE LIGHT
IT'S THE DARKEST DAY, IT'S THE LONGEST NIGHT
ANGEL OF MERCY, PLEASE HEED THE CALL
ANGEL OF MERCY, WHO SHADOWS US ALL

PICK ME UP BABY, I'M READY TO GO
COOL OF THE EVENING, WE WILL STROLL
WE GO DOWN TO THE RIVER, HAND IN HAND
DREAMIN' OUR DREAM, OF THE PROMISE LAND

ANGEL OF MERCY, SHOW US THE LIGHT
IT'S THE DARKEST DAY, IT'S THE LONGEST NIGHT
ANGEL OF MERCY, PLEASE HEED THE CALL
ANGEL OF MERCY, WHO SHADOWS US ALL
LET'S GO

ANGEL OF MERCY, SHOW US THE LIGHT
IT'S THE DARKEST DAY, IT'S THE LONGEST NIGHT
ANGEL OF MERCY, PLEASE HEED THE CALL
ANGEL OF MERCY, WHO SHADOWS US ALL

PICK ME UP BABY, IT'S DARK INSIDE
FIGHTING THIS FEELING, CAN'T DENY
FORTUNES CAN CHANGE, A NEW MOON
DELIVER ME BABY, COME SOON

ANGEL OF MERCY, SHOW US THE LIGHT
IT'S THE DARKEST DAY, IT'S THE LONGEST NIGHT
ANGEL OF MERCY, PLEASE HEED THE CALL
ANGEL OF MERCY, WHO SHADOWS US ALL
LET'S GO

5. HEAR THAT THUNDER (2:41)

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GOOD LORD, HAVE YOU HEARD
EVERYDAY, MORE ABSURD
IF YOU GET THE URGE, SPREAD THE WORD
WHEN YOU HEAR THAT THUNDER, YOU HAVE TO WONDER
EVER GONNA FIND OUR WAY

OH MY, GETTING LATE
MARKING TIME, SO MUCH HATE
PRESS AHEAD AND MEET OUR FATE
WHEN YOU HEAR THAT THUNDER, YOU HAVE TO WONDER
EVER GONNA FIND OUR WAY

GOOD LORD, SHOW SOME GRACE
BREAKING DOWN, LOST IN SPACE
IT CAN ALL BE GONE, WITHOUT A TRACE
WHEN YOU HEAR THAT THUNDER
YOU HAVE TO WONDER
EVER GONNA FIND OUR WAY

OH MY, FEEL THE BURN
EVERYWHERE, SO MUCH CHURN
YOU ASK YOURSELF, WHAT WE'VE LEARNED
WHEN YOU HEAR THAT THUNDER, YOU HAVE TO WONDER
EVER GONNA FIND OUR WAY

GOOD LORD, HAVE YOU HEARD
EVERY DAY, MORE ABSURD
IF YOU GET THE URGE, SPREAD THE WORD
WHEN YOU HEAR THAT THUNDER, YOU HAVE TO WONDER
EVER GONNA FIND OUR WAY

OH MY, GETTING LATE
MARKING TIME, SO MUCH HATE
WE PRESS AHEAD, AND MEET OUR FATE
WHEN YOU HEAR THAT THUNDER, YOU HAVE TO WONDER
EVER GONNA FIND OUR WAY
YOU HEAR THAT THUNDER, YOU HAVE TO WONDER
EVER GONNA FIND OUR WAY
YOU HEAR THAT THUNDER, YOU HAVE TO WONDER
EVER GONNA FIND OUR WAY

6. STRENGTH OF OUR LOVE (2:46)

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LOOKING OUT ANYWHERE
SEIZE THE DAY, DON'T DESPAIR
STANDING THERE IN DISREPAIR
BUT I'M READY TO GO
SING YOUR SONG, DON'T BE LONG
I'M WITH YOU ALL ALONG
CARRIED AWAY, ON THE STRENGTH OF OUR LOVE

STARTING OUT JUST TODAY
FREE YOUR HEART, LET IT PLAY
SEE THROUGH ALL THE DISARRAY
YOU GOTTA LET GO
SEE THE SIGN, ALONG THE LINE
I'VE GOT YOURS AND YOU GOT MINE
CARRIED AWAY, ON THE STRENGTH OF OUR LOVE

REACHING OUT EVERYWHERE
GOTTA FIND SOMEONE WHO CARES
NO ONE'S REALLY THERE
YOU'RE GOIN' DOWN SLOW
OPEN ARMS, NEVER HARM
THIS AIN'T NO FALSE ALARM
CARRIED AWAY, ON THE STRENGTH OF OUR LOVE

THINK OF HOW IT MIGHT BE
SO MUCH UNCERTAINTY
BUT NOT ABOUT YOU OR ME
WE'RE STEALING AWAY
TURNED AROUND, UPSIDE DOWN
SEARCHING FOR THAT RIGHTEOUS SOUND
CARRIED AWAY, ON THE STRENGTH OF OUR LOVE
TURNED AROUND, UPSIDE DOWN
SEARCHING FOR THAT RIGHTEOUS SOUND
CARRIED AWAY, ON THE STRENGTH OF OUR LOVE
CARRIED AWAY, ON THE STRENGTH OF OUR LOVE
CARRIED AWAY



7. ETERNAL LIGHT (3:20)

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OH I'VE BEEN TOLD, THAT YOU BETTER BE BOLD
MOVE ON THE GROOVE, OR OUT IN THE COLD
OUT ON A LIMB, OR BACK IN THE FOLD
WITH YOU

WELL I HAD MY FILL, OF THE RUN OF THE MILL
STILL GET A THRILL, YOU CLIMB THAT HILL
FEEL THE CHILL, WHEN THE FINAL BILL
COMES DUE

FALLING FAST, HURRY ALONG
FORGET THE PAST, IT'S ALREADY GONE
THE DYE IS CAST, IT'S ALMOST DAWN
IT'S TRUE

HEART IS ASKED, TO BURN SO BRIGHT
IN A WORLD SO VAST, ETERNAL LIGHT
IT WILL NOT LAST, WITHOUT A FIGHT
OR TWO

SOME LIKE IT HOT, GIVE IT ALL THEY'VE GOT
CAN'T EVER STOP, 'TIL IT ALL GOES POP
SEEMS LIKE A LOT, 'TIL THE FINAL SHOT
WENT THROUGH

BEEN SO HARD, TO DROP OUR GUARD
MARRED, JARRED, WE'VE ALL BEEN SCARRED
FIND A BARD, AND PLAY THAT CARD
ON CUE

FALLING FAST, HURRY ALONG
FORGET THE PAST IT'S ALREADY GONE
THE DYE IS CAST, IT'S ALMOST DAWN
IT'S TRUE
WELL MY HEART IS ASKED, TO BURN SO BRIGHT
IN A WORLD SO VAST, ETERNAL LIGHT
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FEEL THE CHILL, WHEN THE FINAL BILL
COMES DUE

8. SHELTERING SKY (3:22)

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UNDER, THE SHELTERING SKY
SOMEDAYS, MORE DEAD THAN ALIVE
LISTEN, YOU'LL HEAR THE SOUND
HEARTBREAK, IT'S ALL AROUND

ALL I KNOW, OH DON'T LET GO
ALL I WANNA DO, BABY STAY CLOSE TO YOU

CUZ YOU SHAKE, YOU RATTLE AND ROLL
OH, YOU TOUCH THE SOUL
KNOW, THE CONNECTION IS REAL
FEELING THE LIGHT, THE LIGHT THAT I FEEL

ALL I KNOW, OH DON'T LET GO
ALL I WANNA DO, BABY STAY CLOSE TO YOU

ALL I KNOW, OH DON'T LET GO
ALL I WANNA DO, BABY STAY CLOSE TO YOU

DRIFTING, IN YOUR SHIMMERING SMILE
LAUGHTER, GRACE AND STYLE
SAY HEY, YOU KNOW IT'S SO TRUE
OH, I LOVE YOU
I LOVE YOU

ALL I KNOW, BABY DON'T LET GO
ALL I WANNA DO, STAY CLOSE TO YOU

