

THE OTHER SIDE OF DOWN

Other Side of Down

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Down(Down), Down(Down), Down(Down),
Down(Down) . . .

[verse]

Here I am with all these questions
hanging from my ceiling low
One by one they all keep telling me
I told you so

Everywhere I turn I see red lights
flashing over my head
Oh no, oh no, oh no
In a whirl-wind spinning
yeah somehow it knocked me off my feet
But I know better than to let it
get the best of me.

[chorus]

I could give up
I could stay stuck
Or I could move on
So I put one foot front of the other
No no no nothing's gonna break my stride
I keep climbing
Gonna keep fighting
Until I make it to the other side of down

[verse]

In the sky, I'm standing under
All I see is endless rain
I think I spot a silver lining
hiding in the grey
I might get tossed around
But I'm always bouncing back
oh.oh.oh.oh.oh

[repeat chorus]

[bridge]

On the other side of down
It keeps calling me
Where I wanna be
On The other side of down
it keeps calling me
where I wanna be
where I wanna be

[repeat chorus]



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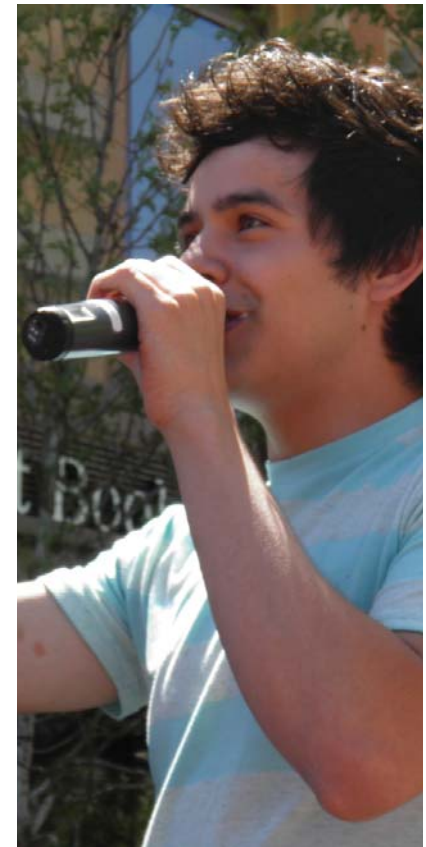
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[bridge]

They say give it time
Give it time
And it will fall in line
But I keep wondering
How and when and why I haven't met you

[chorus 3]

But maybe I'm wrong
Maybe I'm right
Is she the one
Is it today
Will I turn the corner
See my future in a beautiful face
Maybe I'm wrong
Maybe I'm right
Maybe I just let you walk by
What can I say
Maybe I've known you all my life
Is she the one
Is it today
Will I turn the corner
See my future in a beautiful face
Maybe
Oh, maybe, yeah
La la da da da da, whoa, whoa
I'll keep searching for my kind of perfect



Something 'Bout Love

c. David Archuleta, Chris DeStefano, Sam Hollander, Dave Katz

Ohoh...ohohohoh... something'bout love
ohoh

[verse]

Every night it's all the same
You're frozen by the phone
You wait, something's changed
You blame yourself every day
You'd do it again
Every night

[chorus]

There's something 'bout love
That breaks your heart
Whoa oh oh oh
It sets you free
There's something 'bout love
That tears you up
Whoa oh oh oh
You still believe
When the world falls down like rain
It'll bring you to your knees
Something 'bout love that breaks your heart
Whoa oh oh oh...
But don't give up
There's something 'bout love

[verse]

When you were young
Scared in the night
Waiting for love to come along
And make it right
Your day will come, the past is gone
So take your time
And live and let live

[repeat chorus]

[bridge]

Don't fight
Don't hide
Those stars in your eyes (in your eyes)
Let em' shine tonight
Let em' shine tonight
Hang on
Hang in
For the ride of your life
It's gonna be alright
Hold on tight

[repeat chorus and fade]

Elevator

c. David Archuleta, Shelly Peiken, Mike Krompass

Whoa-oh-oh-oh oh

[verse]

I had a dream last night

I didn't know which floor to get off on

Hey-yeah

The doors they opened on 4 and 5 and 6

and you were gone, all gone

I didn't understand, I didn't want to know

at least I took a chance

I had to let it go.

[chorus]

Elevator goes up

Elevator come down

and you just go with the flow

'til your feet are back on the ground.

It's an endless ride

sometimes it takes you up

sometimes it tears you down inside

but it's the butterflies

that keep you feeling so alive, so alive.

You gotta get back that high.

[verse]

And in my dream last night

the doors they finally shut

and I was there

somewhere

Alone in my reality

inside an empty box

that's filled with air

but I don't care, noooo.

Next time I'll get it right

next time I'll be OK

I'll have a different dream tonight

Tomorrow's another day.

[repeat chorus]

[bridge]

You'll never know what you're gonna get

what you don't expect

can come and find you.

If you laugh or cry, you run and hide

but it's all right.

[repeat chorus]

High-i-i-i-i, high-i-i-i-i, high-i-i-i-i

so alive, so alive

you gotta get back that high-i

My Kind of Perfect

c. David Archuleta, Joy Williams, Cindy Brouwer, Jeremy Bose

[verse]

I was thinking about ya

I drew a little picture

But some things you can't put on paper

Like you like shooting stars

Or write songs on guitar

Got more things to do

Than stare at a mirror

[chorus 1]

And I know, I know

She's gotta be out there, out there

I know, I know

She's gotta be

Maybe I'm wrong

Maybe I'm right

Maybe I just let you walk by

What can I say

Maybe I've known you all my life

Is she the one

Is it today

Will I turn the corner

See my future in a beautiful face

Maybe

[verse]

She's anything but typical

A sweet surprise

No matter what

she's looking at the bright side

It's gonna be worth it

'Cause that's what love is

I'll keep searching for my kind of perfect

[chorus 2]

And I know, I know

She's gotta be out there, out there

I know, I know

She's gotta be

Maybe I'm wrong

Maybe I'm right

Maybe I just let you walk by

What can I say

Maybe I've known you all my life

Is she the one

Is it today

Will I turn the corner

See my future in a beautiful face

Maybe

Things Are Gonna Get Better

c. David Archuleta, Danielle Brisebois, Nick Lashley, A. Ander

Yeah, Yeah,
Mmmmm

[verse]

Everybody's got a time in their life
When everything hurts and nothing's right
But you gotta walk on
Yeah, you gotta walk on
Everybody's got a piece of their heart
That's been stepped on and torn apart
But you gotta be strong
Yeah, you gotta walk on

'Cause I know it's hard to have the strength
And sometimes you can't get through the day
But things just float on by like a river in the night

[chorus]

But I know things are gonna get better
And I know things are gonna be fine
And I know life is gonna get better
Standing here together
Yeah, we're gonna be fine

[verse]

Everybody's got that one regret
No matter how they try, they can't forget
But you gotta move on
Yeah, you gotta move on
Everybody's got someone they've lost
And they can't believe they're really gone
But you gotta live on
Yeah, you gotta live on
'Cause I know it's hard to have the strength
And sometimes all you feel is pain
But time keeps floating by on that river in the night

[repeat chorus]

[bridge]

I've been shown hope
I see it in your eyes
So take me, touch me
'Cause with a little bit of love
We can win the fight
With a little bit of love
We can see the light
With a little bit of love
It'll be all right

[repeat chorus]

Walk, walk, walk on by and
Keep, keep, keep walking on
Keep, keep, keep walking on

Stomping the Roses

c. Bryce Avary, David Archuleta

[verse]

Wasting time, just going mindless
Watching your charades
When you were younger, did it occur to you
Ten years from then, you'd act the same age

[chorus 1]

I cannot carry on this way
Although I've carried all your every little thing
Carry me away

Did you feel like stomping the roses?
Smashing out all the feeling inside, of them
It's bad business

The way you're stomping the roses

[verse]

I was flipping channels on my television
And it made me feel unwell
One of those complicated soap operas
I almost felt like I was watching myself

[chorus 2]

I cannot carry on this way
Although I've carried all your every little thing
Carry me away

Did you feel like stomping the roses?
Smashing out all the feeling inside, of them
It's bad business

The way you're stomping the roses
Everyone knows it

[bridge]

It's over and I
I know, I know, I know, I know
Always been your token nice guy
I know, I know, I know, I know,
I know that you rule your whole world
I thought I could live in it
But I just can't

[chorus 3]

You know you're stomping the roses
Smashing out all the feeling inside, of them
It's bad business
The way you're stomping the roses
Everyone knows it
Stomping the roses
Smashing out all the feeling inside, of them
It's bad business
The way you're stomping the roses
Stomping, stomping Yeah
Take it easy, yeah



Who I Am

c. David Archuleta, Shelly Peiken, Mike Krompass

[verse]

Been two hours in a taxi cab,
I'm just driving around and I'm running a tab,
But it doesn't really matter no, I'm not getting mad,
It's ok, 'cause I know where I'm going

[verse]

Out the window, everybody's on the phone,
At their lights are on, and they're all in the zone,

Gotta take a step back from my new ringtone,
I don't care if Jeff Fenster is calling,
(ca-ca-calling)

Days like these,
It's hard to breathe.

[chorus]

I'm gonna take this moment
that I'm in right now,
Stop the craziness somehow.
Leave it all behind me,
And no one's gonna find me.
I got nothing to win
and I got nothing to lose,
Just trying to walk
in my own two shoes

Gotta take the time now,
It's time for me to find out
Who I am

Oh oh, oh oh

Who I am

[verse]

Windshield looks like a movie screen,
And the world outside is a big machine,
And it moves so fast I can barely think,
That's ok, 'cause I know what I'm doing.
Days like these,
It's hard to breathe.

[repeat chorus]

[bridge]

Sometimes,
You just know,
When to hold on,
when to let go

[repeat chorus]

I got nothing to win
and I got nothing to lose,
just trying to walk
in my own two shoes
Gotta take the time now,
Time for me to find out
Who I am
oh oh, oh oh, oh oh, oh oh,
oh oh, oh oh,
who I am

Complain

c. Emanuel Kiriakou, David Hodges, Claude Kelly

Mmmmm

Yeah, Yeah, Yeah, mmm

[verse]

How many times have you said
If I just had one more dollar in my pocket
Know that I felt the same
How many times have you dreamed
That you could pack up and leave
Just run away from your troubles
Baby I can't complain

[chorus]

'Cause I don't always get everything I want
It doesn't turn out just the way I thought it
All should be
Baby, I can't complain

No more wasting my time looking in the mirror

Wishing my life was a little bit clearer

No way

Baby, I can't complain

No way

No way-ayy

No way

Baby, I can't complain

[verse]

Have you ever believed
That it's just not your day
Like the world is against you
You know we've all felt that way
So far away from my home
And everything that I love
But as long as I'm breathing
Baby, I can't complain

[repeat chorus]

No way

No way-ayy

No way

[bridge]

Any time, any minute now
We could fall, it could all crash, down
But I'm not gonna end it that way-ay-ay
No way

[repeat chorus]

No way

No way-ayy

No way

Baby, I can't complain

Good Place

c. Mitch Allan, David Archuleta, Shelly Peiken

[verse]

I don't know what I'm doing here
How I landed in this space
But it's a good place
And I don't wanna mess it up
Make mistakes or say too much
'Cause it's a good place
You find it, you hold it
You feel its grace

[chorus]

These are words I wanna say
Every hour of every day
These are words that say how good it feels
To be here with you today
I hope it's not too late
I hope it's not too late

[verse]

I've been silent up till now
I've been going with the flow
Wherever that goes
But something's screaming out inside
Makes me want to close my eyes
And hear the echo
You find it, you know it
Don't make it wait



[repeat chorus]

[bridge]

'Cause I don't want to waste another summer
I don't wanna wait until I fall
I could be a memory tomorrow
I could be nothing at all
[reprise]

I don't know what I'm doing here
How I landed in this space
But it's a good place

[repeat chorus]

Falling Stars

c. Emanuel Kiriakou, Claude Kelly, Jess Cates

[verse]

When you forget me
When you don't remember my name
Not even a memory
Somewhere in the back of your brain
I won't be offended 'cause I always knew
That the day would come when
I'm not enough to make you stay
You tell me it's not possible
No way that we could break
But nothing is illogical
Believe me

[chorus]

Like falling stars over your head
We were bound to burn up
But like crashing cars
I'll never get over you,
Never over you 'cause
You are so beautiful, yeah

[verse]

The world is turning
And time keeps on lingering on
The sun will be burning
Eventually you will be gone

I'll always love you
Ohh, believe it or not
But baby, that's not enough to,
Not enough to stop these

[chorus]

Falling stars over your head
We were bound to burn up
But like crashing cars
I'll never get over you,
Never over you 'cause
You are so beautiful, yeah

[bridge]

When it's all said and done
I'll be just a speck in your galaxy
Floating farther away by gravity
Tell me it's not possible
No way that we could break
Like falling stars
Like crashing cars

[chorus]

Like falling stars over your head
We were bound to burn out,
Just like crashing cars
I'll never get over you
Never over you, 'cause
You are so beautiful
You are so beautiful, yeah

Parachutes and Airplanes

c. David Archuleta, Matt Squire, Lindy Robbins

[verse]

There something crazy 'bout this day
Like I'm walking on a trampoline
I couldn't get much higher
Ooohh
So if I ask you would you stay
'Cause you remind me of a ballerina dancing
on a wire
And I don't ever want to say goodbye
I just wanna steal this moment right away
from time

[chorus]

What do you say
When you can't come down
When you feel like you're ten feet off the
ground
What do you do when you're on the edge
Now you're here and you got me thinking
'bout
Parachutes and airplanes
Thinking about
Parachutes and airplanes
Never hit the ground, ground, ground,
ground

[verse]

The world's a thousand shades of blue
Like we're here in a kaleidoscope
Don't want it to be over
Like everything that's in my mind
Is here right in front of my eyes
And you're the one who got me here
'Cause I don't ever want to say goodbye
No, I just want to steal this moment right
away from time

[repeat chorus]

Never hit the ground

[bridge]

'Cause life gets hard sometimes
And I just need a place to get away
Turn the world around
I'm never coming down
'Cause I don't ever wanna hit
Don't wanna hit the ground
Round, round, round, round (ohh)
(I don't want to hit the ground)
Round, round, round, round
(I don't want to hit the ground)

[repeat chorus twice]

Thinking about
Parachutes and airplanes
Never hit the ground, ground, ground,
ground
Never hit the ground, ground, ground,
ground

Look Around

c. David Archuleta, Matt Squire, Victoria Horn

[verse]

Keep on running
And you'll never get to feel the moment
It's like you're sleeping
'Cause you don't take the time to take it in
Like a train wreck
You're on a mission
Tunnel vision, got you blinded
Better slow down, before you lose ground
It'll happen anyway
Paint it over if your world is gray

[chorus]

When you close your eyes to see the view
You miss everything surrounding you
Stop and just
Look around
Get up and look around
Get up and look around
Get up and look around



You can build your life right on air
What you need will always be there
Stop and just look around
Get up and look around
Get up and look around
Get up and look around you
Oh oh oh, oh oh oh, oh oh oh
Look around, look around
Oh oh oh, oh oh oh, oh oh oh
Look around, look around

[verse]

Shut the window tightly
But it's raining on the inside
Do you realize you're getting nowhere
But it's all laid out for you
Cut the ribbon if it starts to fray

[repeat chorus]

[bridge]

You found a loophole that you fell in
Now you're treading water
You gotta see the hand
For it to pull you out

[repeat chorus]

Look around