

AMBIENIC

LYRICS BY THOMAS ABBAN



PLENTY

HOW MANY MINDS DO YOU WIN AND MAKE CRAZY?

PLENTY, PLENTY

GOT TO GET THE MONEY FOR THE MEDICINE

HOW MANY FOOLS DO YOU RULE THAT WOULD SLAY ME?

PLENTY, PLENTY

GOT TO GIVE YOUR MONEY TO THE GOVERNMENT

HOW MANY LINES INTERSECT ON A SPECTRUM?

PLENTY, PLENTY

LIGHT'S A FOREIGN CONCEPT TO THE DARK IN ME

HOW MANY PILLS DO YOU TAKE ON THE DAILY?

PLENTY, PLENTY

GOT TO GIVE YOUR MONEY TO THE PHARMACY

HOW MANY?

PLENTY, PLENTY

HOW MANY?

PLENTY

HOW MANY CRIES DO YOU HEAR IN THE EAST NOW?

PLENTY, PLENTY

GOT TO KEEP YOUR HEAD UP FOR THE RECKONING

HOW MANY WOLVES CAN YOU DRESS IN A FLEECE GOWN

PLENTY, PLENTY

GOT TO TIP YOUR HAT OFF TO THE GOVERNMENT

YOU KNOW IT

ON THE WAY, ON THE WAY

LET THE DEEP ROLL INTO DEEPER

PLENTY DREAMS BUT NOT A SLEEPER

GET THE WEEPS A TEAR LEAKER

PLENTY MEANS BUT NOT A SEEKER NOW

HOW MANY?

PLENTY, PLENTY

HOW MANY?

PLENTY

DON'T LEAVE

YOU WERE MY DAILY TEMPLE BUT WOMAN I KNOW THAT LOVE CAN BE
CRUEL
PROUDLY WORE YOUR CHAIN AND SHACKLE CAUSE BABY I KNOW THAT
LOVE CAN BE CRUEL
BUT YOU BREAK YOUR TEETH WHILE BITING STONES THEN HIDE YOUR
HAND AFTER THEY'RE THROWN
AND IT ALL LEADS TO PAIN
BUT DON'T LEAVE BABY I DON'T MEAN TO FALL APART
JUST PLEASE SHOW ME SOME RECIPROCITY
BUT DON'T LEAVE BABY I STILL THINK I CRAVE YOUR HEART
JUST PLEASE SHOW ME YOU'RE A MESS WITHOUT ME
AND DON'T LEAVE
WATER ONLY FLOWS AS FAST AS THE GROUND IS SMOOTH OVER WHICH IT
FLOWS
BUT EVEN NEXT TO STAGNANT POOLS LAY SEEDS AND FROM A SEED
FLOWER GROWS
BUT YOUR ORACLES ALL FLEE FROM YOU AND PLEASURE'S RAINS ARE
LEAVING TOO AND IT ALL LEADS TO PAIN

BUT DON'T LEAVE BABY I DON'T MEAN TO FALL APART
JUST PLEASE SHOW ME SOME RECIPROCITY
BUT DON'T LEAVE BABY I STILL THINK I CRAVE YOUR HEART
JUST PLEASE SHOW ME YOU'RE A MESS WITHOUT ME
AND DON'T LEAVE
DON'T LEAVE BABY I DON'T MEAN TO FALL APART
JUST PLEASE SHOW ME YOU'RE A MESS WITHOUT ME
AND DON'T LEAVE
BUT TEMPLES JUST LIKE WATER-FALLS AND I STILL HEAR MY LOVER CALL
AND IT ALL LEADS TO PAIN
BUT DON'T LEAVE CAUSE I STILL THINK I CRAVE YOUR HEART
CAUSE I FALL APART
GIVE ME SOME RECIPROCITY
DON'T LEAVE
DON'T LEAVE
DON'T LEAVE
DON'T LEAVE
DON'T LEAVE

MEAN SIDE

PEACE ON EARTH I FOUND YET NOTHING DON'T MEAN NOTHING FOR THE CHAINS
OF TIME

PEACEFUL 'TIL THE GROUND YET SOMETHING ALWAYS HAPPENS BECAUSE NOTHING
NEVER WILL

AS SOON AS I GET UP I'VE GOT TO BATTLE MY MEAN SIDE

DAMNED MY MOOD GETS UP BUT IT'S JUST A WAVE AT THE SEASIDE

I WANT IT TO MEAN NOTHING BUT I KNOW YOU'VE GOT A MEAN SIDE TOO

AND I KNOW YOU GET CAUGHT UP ON THE SURFACE AND DON'T SEE INSIDE

BUT SEE INSIDE OF ME AND YOU'LL FIND NOTHING TO BLEED AND DRY

REMEMBER NOTHING DON'T MEAN NOTHING CAUSE YOU KNOW I'VE GOT A MEAN
SIDE TOO

MEAN SIDE, MEAN SIDE

PEACE ON EARTH I FOUND YEAH NOthings JUST THE GAP BETWEEN THE CHAINS OF
TIME

GARDEN TILL THE GROUND YEAH SOMETHING'S ALWAYS GROWING BECAUSE
NOTHING NEVER WILL

AS SOON AS I GET UP I'VE GOT TO BATTLE MY MEAN SIDE

DAMNED MY MOOD GETS UP BUT IT'S JUST A WAVE AT THE SEASIDE

I WANT IT TO MEAN NOTHING BUT I KNOW YOU'VE GOT A MEAN SIDE TOO

AND I KNOW YOU GET CAUGHT UP ON THE SURFACE AND DON'T SEE INSIDE

BUT SEE INSIDE OF ME AND YOU'LL FIND NOTHING TO BLEED AND DRY

REMEMBER NOTHING DON'T MEAN NOTHING CAUSE YOU KNOW I'VE GOT THEM
INSIDE TOO

MEAN SIDE, MEAN SIDE

I KNOW YOU GOT A

KNOW YOU GOT A MEAN SIDE, KNOW YOU GOT A MEAN SIDE, KNOW YOU GOT A
MEAN SIDE TOO

YOU KNOW YOU GOT A MEAN SIDE, KNOW YOU GOT A MEAN SIDE, KNOW YOU GOT A
MEAN SIDE TOO

AS SOON AS I GET UP I'VE GOT TO BATTLE MY MEAN SIDE

DAMNED MY MOOD GETS UP BUT IT'S JUST A WAVE AT THE SEASIDE

I WANT IT TO MEAN NOTHING BUT I KNOW YOU'VE GOT A MEAN SIDE TOO

I KNOW YOU GOT A MEAN SIDE, KNOW YOU GOT A MEAN SIDE, KNOW YOU GOT A
MEAN SIDE TOO

BUT YOU KNOW I GOT A MEAN SIDE, KNOW I GOT A MEAN SIDE

BUT I KNOW YOU GOT A MEAN SIDE TOO

YOU DO

YOU KNOW I GOT A MEAN SIDE TOO

I DO

I KNOW YOU GOT A MEAN, MEAN SIDE TOO

YOU DO

MAYBE OUR MEAN SIDES SHOULD GET TOGETHER

AS SOON AS I GET UP I'VE GOT TO BATTLE MY MEAN SIDE

BE LOVED

AS I LOOK PAST THE BOATS ON THE WATER
AS I GAZE PAST THE STARS AND THEIR SIGNS OH BABY
“EASY COME, EASY GO” IS THEIR MOTTO
SO DARLING JUST KEEP SAILING YOUR HEART
I FILL THE CUP ON THE TABLE WHEN IT’S EMPTY
I’M UNAPPROACHED, UNRESOLVED, UNRESIGNED, OH BABY
SOULS DEPARTING THROUGH BLACK RAIN NOW IT’S STAINING
SO DARLING JUST KEEP PLAYING YOUR PART
COULD YOU BE LOVED? COULD YOU BE LOVED? COULD YOU BE LOVED?
BY SOMEBODY LIKE ME? YES, BY SOMEBODY LIKE ME?
I DON’T HAVE TIME TO FOLLOW YOUR RIVER
AND I DON’T HAVE TIME TO RULE MY WORLD OH BABY
MANY SAINTS, MANY TUNES ARE FORGOTTEN
SO DARLING I WAS SHOT FROM THE START
COULD YOU BE LOVED? COULD YOU BE LOVED? COULD YOU BE LOVED?
BY SOMEBODY LIKE ME? YES, BY SOMEBODY LIKE ME?
COULD YOU BE LOVED?
DARLING I WAS SHOT FROM THE START
COULD YOU BE LOVED?
COULD YOU BE LOVED? COULD YOU BE LOVED? COULD YOU BE LOVED?
BY SOMEBODY LIKE ME? YES, BY SOMEBODY LIKE ME?
YES, BY SOMEBODY LIKE ME? YES, BY SOMEBODY LIKE ME?

VISIONS (RETURN OF THE MEAN SIDE)

GOT MY HAND ON EM, GOT MY HAND ON EM
GOT MY HAND ON THE BIBLE AND I'M POPPING A WHEELIE
CHOP THE CHERRY THE ORANGE ADD THE LIQUOR AND THE FIZZY
GOT MY HAND ON THE THROTTLE AND I'M CRUSHING IT FREELY
WATCH ME PARRY THE RIGHT HOOK THEN Plié WHILE I'M DIZZY
MY VISIONS CAN BE SOMETHING BUT IF I IGNORE THEM THEN YOU CAN BET THAT I
HEAR DRUMMING
AND SOME VISIONS THEY CAN BE STUNNING, DEMONS ON THE MOON I ASSURE YOU
THEY'RE COMING
NIRVANA IS A PAPER CUP
FREE OF JOY, FREE OF LOVE,
POUR IT OUT AND LICK IT UP
IN MY FATHERS HOUSE ARE MANY DRUMS
IN MY FATHERS HOUSE ARE MANY DRUMS
GOT MY HEAD 'ROUND MY THINKING AND IT WASN'T THAT EASY
NOW MY SPIRIT IS EMPTY WHILE MY MIND'S DYING TO MEET ME
GOT MY HANDS IN MY POCKETS SO I WON'T BE CAUGHT STEALING
CHOP THE MESSAGE THE PAPER AT THE BAZAAR AND THE CRAZY
MY VISIONS CAN BE SOMETHING BUT IF I IGNORE THEM THEN YOU CAN BET THAT I
HEAR DRUMMING
AND SOME VISIONS THEY CAN BE STUNNING, BEACONS IN THE TOMBS I ASSURE YOU
THEY'RE COMING
MY VISIONS, MY VISIONS, MY VISIONS CAN BE SOMETHING
DEMONS ON THE MOON I ASSURE YOU THEY'RE COMING

LET THAT VISION BREATH
NIRVANA IS A PAPER CUP
FREE OF JOY, FREE OF LOVE,
POUR IT OUT AND LICK IT UP
IN MY FATHERS HOUSE ARE MANY DRUMS
IN MY FATHERS HOUSE ARE MANY DRUMS
IN MY FATHERS HOUSE ARE MANY DRUMS
NIRVANA IS A PAPER CUP
GOT MY HAND ON EM
THE APOCALYPSE ACKNOWLEDGES THE MASTER OF ALL THE PROMISES
AND IN SPITE OF THIS AND THE HEIGHT OF THIS, JUST CLIMBS THE STAIR OF PASSAGES
LEAVING YOUR MARK ON HISTORY IS LIKE BEING A DOG PISSING UPON A TREE FOR
OTHER DOGGIES TO SEE
NIRVANA IS A PAPER CUP
LET THAT VISION BREATH
IN MY FATHERS HOUSE ARE MANY DRUMS
LET THAT VISION BREATH
MANY DRUMS





