

Days, times we will remember  
When innocence was lost  
We let our hearts move on

So many dreams, we thought would last forever  
Today it doesn't matter  
All those dreams are gone

They are gone, oooh-oooh-oooooh

Tell me how it feels again  
Oh, show me that it's real and then

I'll walk away, from my own reflection  
The stranger that I knew  
The stranger that was you

And now I face a cold return to sender  
A truce but no surrender  
A voice that won't ring true

Where are you? Oooh-oooh-oooooh

I reach over the edge  
And throw a penny in the wishing well  
It's so deep  
That I can tell

That in the real world  
There's fewer stars in the sky  
And in the real world  
You can hear the children cry at night  
This is the real world

There is no time, for a life of solitude  
Only hunger and survival  
In the world we're born into

We're alone, oooh-oooh-oooooh

And it brings me to my knees  
Our father lay me down to sleep  
Father please  
Pray the lord my soul to keep

Keep us in the real world  
Keep us in the real world

Don't have to tell you, in the real world  
They'll damn you if you try  
In the real world  
Let it begin with you and I

Aaah-aaah-aaaaah

This is the real world  
There's fewer stars in the sky  
This is the real world  
You can hear the children cry at night  
Now in the real world  
They'll damn you if you try  
And in the real world  
Let it begin with you and I  
Living in the real world  
Yeah, living in the real world

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