

# Ayreon, Ayreon's Fate

AYREON (LEON GOEWIE):  
Misguided Merlin,  
You fail to understand,  
I could never be your rival.  
I was just a pawn,  
In a future masterplan,  
For the purpose of survival!

MERLIN (ROBERT SOETERBOEK):  
Ayreon!  
I've cast my spell upon you!  
I have no faith, you cannot be true!

WOMEN: Ayreon!

AYREON:  
I forgive you, Merlin,  
For you don't know what you've done,  
Even for you, it was all a mystery.  
One day you'll see,  
That I was the one,  
Who could change the course of history!

MERLIN:  
Ayreon!  
Your words are all in vain!  
Close your eyes, there'll be no more pain!

WOMEN: Oh Ayreon...

MERLIN:  
(ROBERT SOETERBOEK):  
Mmm!  
I see one day,  
His story will be told,  
At the end of the 20th century, ohhhh!  
(IAN PARRY):  
I see one day,  
The truth will unfold!  
(MIRJAM VAN DOORN):  
Ohhh!  
And the quest has now begun!  
Oh, Ayreon!

(JAY VAN FEGGELEN):  
I hope one day,  
That man will understand,  
It's in his power to change his destiny!  
(LEON GOEWIE):  
I hope one day,  
He'll do all that he can!  
(DEBBY SCHREUDER)  
Ohhh!  
And all the nations will be one!  
Oh Ayreon! Yeah!

WOMEN (SCHREUDER & VAN DOORN): Now the end has just begun!  
AYREON (EDWARD REEKERS): And words become a song!  
VILLAGERS (SCHREUDER & VAN DOORN): Tell me what you feel!  
AYREON (ARJEN LUCASSEN):  
The seas are red, the skies are grim...  
Listen to the waves...

MERLIN (EDWARD REEKERS):

The outcome of 'The Final Experiment' has  
now been placed in your hands...

(Clock ticking)