

# James, Sometimes (Lester Piggott)

There's a storm outside  
and the gap between crack and thunder  
crack and thunder is closing in  
is closing in

The rain floods gutters  
and makes a great sound on concrete  
On a flat roof  
theres a boy leaning against a wall of rain  
aerial held high  
calling "come on thunder, come on thunder"

It's a monsoon  
the rain lifts lids off cars  
spinning busses like toys  
stripping them to chrome

Across the bay  
the waves are turning into something else  
Picking up fishing boats  
and spewing them on the shore

The boy's hit  
lit up against the sky  
like a sign, like a neon sign.

Then he crumples  
drops into the gutter  
cut strings  
legs twitching,  
the flood swells his clothes  
and delivers him on  
delivers him on

Sometimes...  
when I look deep in your eyes  
I swear I can see your soul  
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There's 4 new colors in the rainbow  
an old man's taking polaroids  
but all he captures is endless rain  
endless rain  
endless rain

He says listen  
takes my head  
puts my ear to his  
and I swear I can hear the sea

Sometimes...  
(when I look in your eyes  
I can see your soul)  
I can reach your soul

Sometimes...  
(When I look in your eyes  
I can see your soul)  
I can touch your soul

Sometimes...  
(when I look in your eyes

I can see your soul)  
I can hear your soul

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