Joe Jackson, Precious Time

A million tiny lights are strung across the western sky They burn to light our mission But it's just a million lonely hearts Strung out from never asking why We burn with blind ambition I heard somebody say I don't regret my wedding day But something's wrong It's not the same I'm lonely and I'd start again If I had the time Precious time But I don't ask much Just to keep in touch And waste a little of your precious time Waste a little of your precious time A million dollars never justified a million lies To jockey for position And if two hearts can't beat as one How can a million souls survive In this world of suspicion

I heard somebody say
I dream about my wedding day
Through lonely nights
I dream of you
A lover though a friend would do
I'd find him if I had the time
Precious time
But I don't ask much
Just to keep in touch
And waste a little of your precious time
Waste a little of your precious time
And just a smile's enough
Just some of that human stuff
And waste a little of your precious time
Precious time