

# Melissa Etheridge, I Need To Wake Up

Have I been sleeping?  
I've been so still  
Afraid of crumbling  
Have I been careless?  
Dismissing all the distant rumblings  
Take me where I am supposed to be  
To comprehend the things that I can't see

Cause I need to move  
I need to wake up  
I need to change  
I need to shake up  
I need to speak out  
Somethings got to break up  
I've been asleep  
And I need to wake up  
Now

And as a child  
I danced like it was 1999  
My dreams were wild  
The promise of this new world  
Would be mine  
Now I am throwing off the carelessness of youth  
To listen to an inconvenient truth

That I need to move  
I need to wake up  
I need to change

I need to shake up  
I need to speak out  
Somethings got to break up  
I've been asleep  
And I need to wake up  
Now

I am not an island  
I am not alone  
I am my intentions  
Trapped here in this flesh and bone

Oh I need to move  
I need to wake up  
I need to change  
I need to shake up  
I need to speak out  
Somethings got to break up  
I've been asleep  
And I need to wake up  
Now

I want to change  
I need to shake up  
I need to speak out  
Oh, Somethings got to break up  
I've been asleep  
And I need to wake up  
Now