

# Animal Collective, Safer

Why am I so scared  
That the shadows on the wall from yesterday...  
I turn and tell my dad  
I saw ghosts in the park wooing girls with cakes  
And their moms are scared  
'Cause they haven't been home in two or three days  
Wind blows trees through the tops of my hair  
I saw wolves in the fog, I can see through the rain  
Oh, man and things have changed  
In the snow filled lakes where there used to be waves  
I feel deranged  
They're building beaches inside so it's sunny on me  
I don't know, I think it's strange  
'Cause I know we met before but I cannot place it  
I don't know if there's any real danger  
But the creatures all know that it's safer in the dark  
Why am I so scared  
Of explosions going off just any old way  
I turn, ask is it really that bad  
They say we've much bigger problems, we got wolves on the plain  
And they left their den 'cause of cracks in the pipes through the murky graves  
They're running just as fast as the hares  
They say you shouldn't leave a place if you can eat there  
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But I'm alright if you're alright  
I'm alright if you're alright, man  
She cuts her diamonds so they  
Look like a decoy lover  
Many have fine costumes but they're not like mine  
He said I'd kiss you, sometimes I  
Don't wanna kiss you, don't mean I  
Don't like to kiss you, just means these lips are mine  
He just don't jerk and he just don't work and  
He got wrapped up in loving but  
We opened him just in time  
He said don't make your problems my funny problems  
Because I've got problems but I'll cover them up in time  
Don't make your troubles my funny troubles  
Because I've got troubles  
Why we talk about 'em all the time  
Like crocodiles sometimes I wanna eat him  
Sometimes I just wanna meet him for a  
Good meal but to eat you better win so loud  
Like crocodiles sometimes he just wanna basement  
Sometimes, man, he can never take it when he  
Do not look at you but deep inside it's fine, thinking about  
Torture  
Don't let it get you down  
There's other ways to fight  
Torture  
I hope it gets you 'round  
Shaking it off with me  
Man, now don't get too freaky on me