

# Lisa Chappell, When Then Is Now

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When the world stops running  
and looks me in the eye  
and starts to answer all my questions why  
when God is patient and so am I  
Ill be happy

When life goes simply from a to b  
and the pearly white flags are flowing free  
hope not blood is the story that leads  
Ill be happy

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When our children`s tears are not black stains  
and our brothers and sisters dont die in vain  
when our mothers are free to breathe again  
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When we breathe in love and not bad air  
when we call you friend anywhere  
when our politicians really to start to care  
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When our minds expand  
for more than one right  
when we speak the words  
thatll stop the fight  
when we all stop and look inside  
Ill be happy

When the father forgives  
by the dying daughters side  
when theres no such thing  
as youth suicide  
when were all high on the joy of life  
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