

# R.E.M., Belong

Her world collapsed early Sunday morning  
She got up from the kitchen table  
Folded the newspaper and silenced the radio  
Those creatures jumped the barricades  
And have headed for the sea, sea

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She began to breathe  
To breathe at the thought of such freedom  
Stood and whispered to her child, belong  
She held the child and whispered  
With calm, calm; belong

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These barricades can only hold for so long  
Her world collapsed early Sunday morning  
She took the child held tight  
Opened the window  
A breath, this song, how long  
And knew, knew; belong