Stars, Set Yourself On Fire

In a village in the hills House buried to the window sills in snow In a prison yard at night An Alsatian barking for the stars to go

In the attic of a house In the slats of light which creep across the room In a forest grove at dawn Where the animals sleep hidden in the gloom

On the 97th floor overlooking Tokyo In Camden road in a second floor flat with Dilworth down below There is only one thing There is only one thing

In a cancer ward where the patients sit Waiting patiently to die In an aeroplane high above the place You finally left behind

In a cage where only one thing could be free And it's not you and I In a cage where only one thing could be free And it's not you and I

In every single place that has ever, ever been Hiroshima, Los Angeles and each town in between There is only one thing There is only one thing One thing

In the darkest part of you that you have ever seen In the smile of the child staring at the TV screen In the diary of a priest, in the sheets that lie upon his bed Out there amongst the waves and inside your lover's head

There is only one thing (x6) There is only one... thing

20 years asleep before we sleep... forever 20 years asleep before we sleep... forever 10 years on the coast figuring out... the weather

Another decade getting high until you're free There's nothing after that but you and I Nothing after that but you and me

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