

# The Secret Machines, 1,000 Seconds

I must admit it's a balancing act  
It looks dangerous, that's part of it  
Remember, don't look down  
You and I standing in a crowded room  
We were pressed together but we're holding on  
Like we're all that was  
That's all there was

In a flash of light  
We were drunk, we were having a fight  
I was wrong, that don't mean you were right  
Then you played that song  
It was a thousand seconds long  
It didn't end, it seemed to play on all night  
'Cause if I remember right I fell asleep there

Rainclouds passed and darkened more  
An evening touched by waiting for the sky burst  
Storms had gathered in crushing lines  
I surrendered to a way that I remembered you  
That's all there was

If I were forced to choose  
What I have, I have to lose  
I need love, that don't mean I need you  
It started with that song  
It was a thousand seconds long  
It didn't end 'cause we never got through

And did you think that I had planned it all along,  
Hoping not to be alone?  
Well I was there on the edge of the rush  
And did you leave because you thought that I would stay,  
Stricken with a holy fright?  
And it was clear as the night in the cold  
And I won't ever know what you're afraid of

And when the world ends  
A thousand seconds too  
We'll watch the time pass  
Run through the high end too

And then we'll wait there  
A thousand seconds too  
That's when it all ends  
A thousand seconds too