

# Thomas Dolby, Beauty Of A Dream

The beauty of a dream is you don't let it go,  
You don't ever let it go.

Once in a while a girl comes along  
And opens your heart like a spam tin  
Just how long can it take?  
A bow bends, a bow breaks  
And then when its time to return the key  
She'll flash you a smile as she slams the door  
But you didn't have to do that to me  
To show me just how cruel love could be  
And cruel's a show I kinda starred in before.

Listen: these things take time to reach ground zero  
Change hits so HARD and the world turns so slow  
These things take time and next time you'll know  
But the beauty of a dream is you don't let it go,  
You don't ever let it go.

Now how come a hand as gentle as yours  
Could soften a hard nut like this one?  
It's a marvel to me  
The way you wrapped my heart up completely  
Whenever I roam I can't seem to find  
As decent a love as the one I left behind  
Keep it slow, though, for me girl  
I never thought I'd sink in this deep  
Oh darling, I'm sinking like a bug in a peach.

Listen: these things take time to reach ground zero  
Change hurts so good and the world screams hello  
These things take time but this time I know  
But the beauty of a dream is you don't let it go,  
You don't ever let it go.  
You don't ever let it go.  
We won't ever let it go.

And I believe in the promises I made you  
And I mean to keep them over and over and over again  
Boom! there's a cannon for the first twenty years  
Boom! there's a cannon for the next.

It's a marvel to me  
I never thought I'd sink in this deep  
Oh darling, I'm sinking like a frog on a leaf