

HUMAN YOU

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In all of the thousand, thousand, thousand
Years that have passed, days that have gone by
And the countless astonishing things that have happened
Like the first star to turn on a light in the sky
Or like the sun being born or the earth being formed
Or the first twitch of life in the depths of the sea
Or the very first flower to brighten the world
Or the very first he or the very first she
There was no one to see it or say Oh My God
No one to laugh or to weep, and now only one
Can uncover the story and search through the clues
It is you, human, you, human, you

Of all the things made of atoms, the children of matter
The comets and quasars, the oceans and stones
And the millions of creatures who have lived on this planet
Who have walked through the ages and floated and flown
There was never among them a poser of questions
A painter of sunsets, a keeper of dreams
Who could measure the days and the nights as they're passing
And seek understanding and ask what life means
It's as if all of time were a song that has finally found ears
Or as if the whole world, for four billion years
Has been lying unconscious and is now coming to
In you, human, you, human, you

So in all of your hurries, your preoccupied worries
About when your next meal or next paycheck will come
In your hopes and ambitions, your quest for possessions
Your search for self-worth and for sex and for love
Just remember that there is a deeper dimension
A wider communion of which you're a part
There's a whole universe that's evolving, unfolding
And you are it's consciousness, you are its heart, human
You are a mountain that now has just opened it's eyes
You're the wondering earth, you're the waking sky
You're a galaxy laughing and whistling a tune
That is you, human, you, human, you