

# RELIENT K

*COLLAPSIBLE*  
*LUNG*

## DON'T BLINK

DON'T KNOW WHERE TO GO FROM HERE  
MY THOUGHTS ARE TANGLED TWISTED FEARS  
BEEN WAITIN' A WHILE NOW ON THE DAWN  
SEEMS LIKE THE SUN MAY NEVER COME

I MADE MY WAY THROUGH THE DARKEST NIGHT  
TO THE BREAK OF DAY ON THE OTHER SIDE  
FOR SOME TIME THE LIGHT'S BEEN CREEPIN' IN  
AND I'M FEELIN' LIKE I COULD TRUST AGAIN

YOU'RE THE ONLY PERSON WHO REMINDS ME  
LOVE IS BEAUTIFUL AND TRUE  
LIFE IS BEAUTIFUL AND NEW  
YOU'RE THE ONLY PERSON WHO REMINDS ME

HOLD ON NOW  
DON'T YOU BLINK OR ITS GONE  
I'VE BEEN TERRIFIED OF LIFE FOR WAY TOO LONG  
OH NO NOW  
DON'T YOU BLINK OR ITS GONE  
IN ANOTHER LIFE WHO KNOWS WHAT WE'D BECOME

LOVE IS BEAUTIFUL AND TRUE  
LIFE IS BEAUTIFUL AND NEW

BEEN MAKING PLANS AND DRAWING MAPS  
I PLAN TO TAKE THE RIGHTEOUS PATH  
AND HOPE AND PRAY IT LEADS ME BACK  
TO ALL THE HAPPINESS I HAD

BEEN MAKING LISTS AND CROSSING OFF  
EVERY KISS THAT WASN'T LOVE  
AND EVERY WORD THAT STRETCHED THE TRUTH  
LIKE WHEN SHE SAID SHE LOVED ME

# BOOMERANG

HEY  
I TRY TO RUN AWAY  
BUT EVERYWHERE I TURN I TURN AROUND  
AND YOU'RE RIGHT BACK IN MY FACE  
AND EVERYTHING YOU SAY  
I CAN'T GET AWAY FROM YOU  
I JUST CAN'T ESCAPE

CAUSE YOU'RE AT MY FAVORITE BAR  
YOUR HOODIE'S IN MY CAR  
THE SMELL OF YOUR CHANEL 5 WON'T DIE HARD  
YEAH I DON'T STAND A CHANCE  
YOU'RE HANGING WITH MY FRIENDS  
WHEN I SEE YOU AGAIN THAT'S WHEN IT STARTS

WE BREAK JUST LIKE IT AIN'T NO THING  
BUT WE RIDIN' ON A BOOMERANG  
OUR LOVE IS LIKE A RUBBER BAND  
SNAP BACK  
SNAP BACK  
HERE WE GO AGAIN

HEY  
ALREADY ON THE WAY  
END UP AT YOUR PLACE WHEN I SHOULD BE DRIVING HOME  
GIRL WHAT WAS I THINKING  
GIRL WHAT WAS I DRINKING  
TRYING TO TELL MYSELF THAT IT CAN'T BE WRONG

YOU WERE AT MY FAVORITE BAR  
YOUR HOODIE'S IN MY CAR  
THE SMELL OF YOUR CHANEL 5 WON'T DIE HARD  
YEAH I DON'T STAND A CHANCE  
YOU'RE HANGING WITH MY FRIENDS  
WHEN I SEE YOU AGAIN THAT'S WHEN IT STARTS

## LOST BOY

YOU HAD A BABY  
YOU WERE 17 YEARS OLD  
I WAS ON THE ROAD TRYIN' TO MAKE IT MY HOME  
YOU HAD A MAN  
BUT HE WASN'T NO GOOD TO YA  
I WAS WITH WOMEN I DIDN'T KNOW

FOOT LOOSE  
FANCY FREE  
PRETTY LADY WON'T YOU DANCE WITH ME  
CAUSE ONE LOOK  
FROM YOUR EYES  
AND I KNEW THAT IT WAS RIGHT THIS TIME

BEFORE YOU CAME AROUND  
COULDN'T FIGURE OUT  
WHERE I WAS GOING  
I WAS WANDERIN'  
WONDERIN'  
WANDERIN' AROUND  
BEFORE I FOUND MY WAY  
I WAS RUNNIN' LIKE A STRAY  
AND I WAS A LOST BOY  
JUST A LOST BOY

BEFORE YOU CAME AROUND

SWEET COUNTRY BABY  
YOU WERE SINGING AT THE AIRPORT  
RAKIN' IN TIPS WITH THE HEEL OF YOUR BOOT  
I MUSTA PASSED YOU BY A HUNDRED TIMES BEFORE  
CUPID SAW IT FIT TO LET ME DANCE WITH YOU

## IF I COULD TAKE YOU HOME

I HEAR THE WORDS THAT YOU'RE TELLIN' ME  
TALKIN' ABOUT ALL THIS TRAGEDY  
YOU'VE GOT EVERYTHING WHEN YOU'RE CLOSE TO ME

YOU'RE ALL AROUND YOU'RE SURROUNDING ME  
INTOXICATED BY THE AIR YOU BREATHE  
YOU'VE GOT EVERYTHING  
WITH ME

LIKE BROKEN PIECES OF A SHATTERED DREAM  
OR LIKE A MOVIE WITH A MISSING SCENE  
YOU'D LIKE TO BELIEVE

I'M NOTHING SPECIAL BUT IF I COULD TAKE YOU HOME  
IF I COULD TAKE YOU HOME  
IF I COULD TAKE YOU HOME  
I'LL BE ALL THAT YOU NEED

THE TRAIL OF BROKEN HEARTS YOU'VE LEFT BEHIND  
SHOULD SEND ME RUNNING GIRL BUT I DON'T MIND  
IT'S NOT UP TO ME  
WHERE YOU SLEEP

BUT YOU'RE SO GOOD AT MAKING CASUALTIES  
INFLECTING PAIN RATHER CASUALLY  
IT'S EASY TO SEE  
YOU DO IT TO ME

IF I COULD TAKE YOU HOME  
IF I COULD TAKE IT SLOW  
IF I COULD LET YOU KNOW  
IF I COULD MAKE YOU SEE THAT I'LL BE ALL THAT YOU NEED

YOU THINK I'M NOTHIN SPECIAL BUT IF I COULD TAKE YOU HOME  
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I'LL BE ALL THAT YOU NEED

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## CAN'T COMPLAIN

LOOKIN' AT THE COP IN THE REARVIEW MIRROR  
PROLLY SHOULD'A STOPPED BUT THE CROSSWALK WAS CLEAR  
I'LL JUST IMAGINE ITS A TICKET TO A BROADWAY SHOW

LOOKIN' AT THE CLOUDS AND THEY SEEM KINDA FUNNY  
PROLLY GONNA RAIN BUT MY OUTLOOK IS SUNNY  
I'LL JUST IMAGINE THAT I'M LAYIN' OUT IN MEXICO

CAUSE I KNOW  
THE PLEASURE'S GOTTA COME WITH PAIN  
AND I KNOW  
THAT THINGS WON'T ALWAYS GO MY WAY  
AND I KNOW  
LIFE IS GONNA SUCK SOMEDAYS

BUT I CAN'T COMPLAIN  
NO I CAN'T COMPLAIN  
EVERYDAY'S TOO SHORT TO LET IT GO TO WASTE  
NO I CAN'T COMPLAIN  
CAN'T COMPLAIN  
YOU GOTTA TREAT EVERYDAY LIKE A HOLIDAY  
AND I'M TELLING YOU  
THAT I KNOW  
SOMEDAYS I'M GONNA STUMBLE  
AND I KNOW  
THE COOKIE'S GONNA CRUMBLE  
AND I KNOW  
LIFE IS GONNA SUCK SOMEDAYS  
BUT I CAN'T COMPLAIN

WAITIN' ON A NEVER ENDING TRAIN AT THE CROSSING  
PAYIN' IT NO MIND CAUSE WE JUST KEEP 'A TALKIN'  
WE JUST IMAGINE ITS THE GOOD OLD DAYS AND TAKE IT SLOW

SPENDING CHRISTMAS EVE ON THE FLOOR OF THE AIRPORT  
DYIN' TO GET BACK TO THE PEOPLE THAT I CARE FOR  
SMILING JUST DREAMIN' BOUT MY PUPPY IN MY BED BACK HOME

IF YOU CAN'T SAY SOMETHIN' GOOD  
DON'T SAY NOTHING  
IF YOU STOP TO THINK YOU COULD  
COME UP WITH SOMETHIN'  
THAT MAKES YOU FEEL SO GOOD  
WHEN TIMES ARE ROUGH ITS OKAY

# GLORIA

WOKE UP ALONE WITH YA  
I NEVER KNOW WITH YA  
YOU'RE KEEPIN' ME IN THE DARK  
YOU GOT YOUR FAST MOVES AND  
YOU GOT YOUR ONE TWOS AND  
I CAN NEVER LET DOWN MY GUARD

YOU SAY  
YOU COULD NEVER DO BETTER THAN ME

HEY GLORIA  
WHAT'S COME OVER YA  
WHY DON'T YOU TEACH ME HOW TO  
WHY DON'T YOU TEACH ME HOW TO LOVE  
WHY DON'T YOU SHOW ME WHAT'S UP  
I GOT THE SHAKES AND YOU'RE MY DRUG  
WHY DON'T YOU TEACH ME HOW TO  
WHY DON'T YOU TEACH ME HOW TO LOVE

TELLIN' LIES  
SWATTIN' KISSES LIKE THEY'RE FLIES  
DOIN' EVERYTHING I CAN TO SURVIVE  
KEEP ME IN THE COLD  
RAKIN' ME OVER THE COALS  
EITHER FREEZE ME OR BURN ME ALIVE

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HEY GLORIA  
I'M KINDA SORE WITH YA  
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I GUESS ITS LOVE RUNNING FINGERS THROUGH YOUR HAIR  
I GUESS ITS LOVE FLOWER PEDALS EVERYWHERE  
I GUESS ITS LOVE WHEN YOU TELL ME WHAT TO WEAR  
I GUESS ITS LOVE WHEN YOU'RE GOING THROUGH MY PHONE  
I GUESS ITS LOVE WHEN I CAN'T GO OUT ALONE  
I GUESS ITS LOVE IF YOU'VE GOT ME FEELIN' LOW

WHY DON'T YOU SHOW ME HOW TO  
WHY DON'T YOU TEACH ME HOW TO LOVE

## PTL

THERE WAS A TIME WHEN I WAS SCARED OF NOTHIN'  
NOTHIN' CAN TOUCH YOU IF YOU DON'T LOOK BACK  
I WALKED AWAY FROM EVERY GOOD THING THAT I HAD

BY THE TIME I MET YOU IT WAS TWELVE PAST MIDNIGHT  
TOLD YOU I'D BE THE BEST YOU NEVER HAD  
YOU SAID ARE YOU SERIOUS  
I SAID LIKE A HEART-ATTACK

BUT IT WAS FAR TOO LATE BEFORE I FIGURED IT OUT  
I NEVER MEANT TO BE YOUR  
I NEVER MEANT TO BE YOUR  
ONE NIGHT ONE MISTAKE

I NEVER MEANT TO BE YOUR PART-TIME LOVER  
THEN AGAIN I'VE NEVER BEEN A FULL-TIME MAN  
NEVER THOUGHT IT'D HURT SO BAD TO SEE YOU WITH ANOTHER  
GUESS I'M THE FOOL THAT YOU THINK I AM

I NEVER CALLED YOU LIKE I KNOW I SHOULD'A  
THOUGHT I COULD SAVE YOU FOR A RAINY DAY  
I BET THE SUN WAS SHINING WHEN I LET YOU SLIP AWAY

BUT IT WAS FAR TOO LATE BEFORE I FIGURED IT OUT  
I BET THE SUN WAS SHINING  
I NEVER MEANT TO BE YOUR  
ONE NIGHT ONE MISTAKE

## DISASTER

I'VE BEEN SPENDING ALL MY TIME FALLING IN LOVE  
SHOULD KNOW BETTER BUT ITS SO MUCH FUN WHEN I'M WITH YOU  
NOW THERE'S A MISSING PERSON POSTER HANGING UP AT THE BAR  
CAUSE I  
I'VE GOT A GIRL  
I THINK WE'RE IN LOVE  
BUT OH FOR HOW LONG  
IT'S GOT DISASTER  
WRITTEN ALL OVER

SO DON'T NOBODY SHOW HER  
OUR HORRORSCOPE HEADLINE  
DISASTER  
WRITTEN ALL OVER IT

NO YOU DIDN'T  
NO NO YOU DIDN'T DID YOU  
PULL OUT THE WIRES  
MAKE A MAN OUT OF ME

I'M TRYING TO FIGURE OUT  
IF LIFE'S WORTH LIVING WITHOUT YOU  
HOPE I NEVER HAVE TO  
THE STARS COULD ALIGN  
OR EXPLODE IN THE SKY  
DISASTER

BABY  
YOU LOOK SO SEXY  
SO WHAT DO I DO WHEN  
WE GET HOME FROM CHURCH AND THE BABY  
IS IN HER ROOM SLEEPIN'  
OR WATCHIN' A MOVIE  
YOU GET CLOSER TO ME  
OH THIS HAS DISASTER WRITTEN ALL OVER IT

YEAH YEAH YEAH  
I'M TRYING TO FIGURE OUT  
IF LIFE'S WORTH LIVING WITHOUT YOU  
HOPE I NEVER HAVE TO  
THE STARS COULD ALIGN  
OR EXPLODE IN THE SKY  
IF I ALREADY KNOW ABOUT  
EVERYTHING THAT COULD BRING US DOWN  
BUT I REACT A BIT FASTER  
I'M AVERTING DISASTER  
ONE DAY AT A TIME  
DISASTER

I'M TRYING TO FIGURE OUT  
IF LIFE'S WORTH LIVING WITHOUT YOU  
HOPE I NEVER HAVE TO  
IT COULD BE DISASTER  
IF I DON'T EVEN TRY



## WHEN YOU WERE MY BABY

I STILL REMEMBER WHAT HAPPENED  
YEAH I KNOW RIGHT WHERE I WAS  
THE SKY WAS LOOKING OVERCAST  
ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF LOVE

THATS WHEN YOU SAID KEEP ON DRIVING  
ALTHOUGH THE SUN'S GONNA SET  
YOU SAID YOU HAD TO SEE HOW FAR WE COULD TAKE THIS  
HOW FAR WE COULD GET

WHEN YOU WERE MY BABY  
YOU MUST'VE DONE SOMETHING TO CHANGE ME  
CAUSE NOTHIN' EVER SEEMED TO PHASE ME  
'TIL TONIGHT  
THINKIN' WHEN YOU WERE MY BABY AND THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD WAS MINE

I WOKE UP THIS MORNING  
ACHIN' FOR YOU  
ROLLED OVER TRIED TO SLEEP IT OFF  
'TIL LATE AFTERNOON

THEY SAY THAT ITS BETTER  
IF YOU'VE LOVED AND LOST  
BUT MAYBE IF I STAYED AWAY FROM YOU  
I'D BE BETTER OFF

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YOU MUST'VE DONE SOMETHING TO CHANGE ME  
CAUSE NOTHIN' EVER SEEMED TO PHASE ME  
'TIL TONIGHT  
THINKIN' WHEN YOU WERE MY BABY AND THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD WAS

SPINNIN' ALL AROUND US  
TROUBLE NEVER FOUND US  
WISH I HAD IT NOW BUT  
THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD WILL  
NEVER BE AS BRIGHT AND  
NEVER FEEL AS RIGHT AND  
IT'S KILLIN' ME TONIGHT JUST THINKIN'

## SWEETER

SHE LOOKS GOOD IN YOUR CLOTHES  
CLIMBING UP THE STAIRCASE  
BACK TO BED YOU GO AGAIN  
EVEN WHEN HER EYES ARE CLOSED  
CAN'T KEEP FROM STARIN'  
OH THE TROUBLE YOU GOT IN

SHE'S AN APPARITION  
FOGGIN' UP MY VISION  
BUT I DON'T PAY NO MIND

SHE'S SWEETER THAN SUGAR  
'TIL THE SUN GOES DOWN  
DON'T ALLOW HER TO SOUR  
JUST SPIT HER OUT  
BELIEVE ME  
SHE'LL LEAVE  
A BAD TASTE IN YOUR MOUTH  
CAN'T DRINK ENOUGH TO WASH HER DOWN

I WONDER IF SHE KNOWS  
THAT I KNOW WHERE SHE GOES  
WHEN SHE SAYS SHE'S WITH HER FRIENDS  
YEAH EVERYTHING GROWS OLD  
CAN'T TRY TO STOP IT  
ALL COMES TO A BITTER END

## COLLAPSIBLE LUNG

BETWEEN THE MILES OF OPEN ROAD  
I LOST SIGHT OF WHAT MIGHT MATTER THE MOST  
I STUMBLED INTO THE GREAT UNKNOWN AND FOUND  
TIME WON'T SLOW DOWN

I'M GETTIN' BY WITH MY COLLAPSIBLE LUNG  
AND ITS A GOOD TIME  
HUNDRED PERCENT OF THE TIME  
I'M LIKE A LADDER WITH A MISSING RUNG  
AND ITS A SLOW CLIMB  
HEADIN' BACK TO THE SKY AND I'M  
FEELIN' BACKWARDS WHEN I'M TRYING THE MOST

AND I HOPE HAVEN'T HEARD THE LAST WORDS FROM THE HOLY GHOST  
CAUSE I THINK THAT I'M SUPPOSED TO BE  
WELL ON MY WAY BY NOW

I'LL DO THE TWIST WITH MY REPLACEABLE HIPS  
AND TURN YOU RIGHT 'ROUND  
THEN DIP YOU DOWN THE GROUND AND NOW  
I WANNA GROW OLD AND RUB YOUR TIRED LIMBS  
AND TAKE IT EASY  
UNTIL WE WITHER AWAY

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I LOST SIGHT OF WHAT MIGHT MATTER THE MOST  
I STUMBLED INTO THE GREAT UNKNOWN AND FOUND  
TIME CAN'T SLOW DOWN  
TO TAKE A BREATH AND THEN TAKE IT IN  
TO THINK OF PLACES I'LL GO I HAVEN'T BEEN  
TO POUR MY HEART INTO EVERYTHING I'VE FOUND  
TIME WON'T SLOW DOWN