

## Mended

After the quake  
we spent too long  
sifting the earth  
for pieces that meant something,  
some meaning

First fall snow  
hid the scars  
'til my boots  
carved the land  
and made you weep, don't weep

Unmoor your hopes of perfection  
these lines are signs of life  
while we may not stay the same  
hold on, hold on,  
nothing more beautiful  
than a mended soul

Blame is burden  
Lay it down  
this cracked sail  
still waves in tomorrow  
and more

Unmoor your hopes of perfection  
these lines are signs of life  
while we may not stay the same  
hold on, hold on,  
nothing more beautiful  
than a mended soul

See this fine seam of gold  
a gift to make us whole  
so we hold the past lightly

Hold on, hold on, hold on  
nothing more beautiful  
than a mended thing

## Last Train Home

I've passed this way before  
So familiar, yet not so  
Now it seems  
all I know disappears  
like melted snow

Last train home  
I hear you call  
Come to me

We come full circle  
Left behind, that heavy climb  
Now we see the first time  
fewer things are certain

Last train home  
I hear you call  
Come to me  
Last train home  
I will sleep  
Where you be

## Still Life

Another moment  
Caught in your lens  
You look so hard  
see less and less

Freezing the days  
Kept them contained  
But time's rebelling  
Won't be restrained

So leave the back door open tonight  
I may need to leave in haste  
Steal away from all you saved  
Is there still life for me to taste

Here are your glories  
Over the years  
In all the poses  
Eager to please

So many trophies  
You're not to blame  
You craved attention  
They did the same

So leave the back door open tonight  
I may need to leave in haste  
Steal away from all you saved  
Is there still life for me to taste

No wilting flower you can trap  
but blood, skin and water, made to lapse  
let it go, let me go, let us go...

And the wind howled through the night  
how I needed to escape  
found myself in a strange new place  
still there must be more, must be more,  
more life for me to taste

Shouting out, first time in ages  
free to fall, now there's no cages  
on my own, aah it's amazing  
I'm shaking, horizons unclear

## Eruption

Did you think a beard  
would hide your shame  
it leaks like dignity in rain  
no matter what you say to justify  
the dirt you leave behind  
just won't lie

Oh spare me your outrage  
I'm just as guilty of silence

The angels are spinning  
wringing their wings  
who have we given a throne  
the world is weeping  
what have we done  
to fight this eruption year

Still insist that you know best  
Your arrogance steals my breath

Such crimes surging the earth  
what will you tell your children

The angels are spinning  
wringing their wings  
who have we given a throne  
the world is weeping  
what have we done  
to fight this eruption year

Times up old men, here's revolution  
you've been more hindrance than help  
Times up old men, new solution  
starts with a woman's touch

The Angel's are listening  
fanning their wings  
who will we give the throne  
the world is waiting...

## Whole

Your shouting cannot deafen me,  
however close you stand  
I can see above your head,  
feel the coming wind

Whatever you steal, my heart will beat still

Undefended, I have learnt to bend  
there is no weapon you can send  
I will stay unbroken, unbroken again  
there'll come a day, your strength will end

Your forces cannot silence,  
however hard you push  
Even if you build new walls,  
it still belongs to us

So burn up our books,  
we know all the words

Undefended, I have learnt to bend  
There is no weapon you can send  
I will stay unbroken, unbroken again  
There'll come a day, your strength will end

Stifle all these fears, so she will stay bold  
Stifle all these years, so she stays whole

Undefended, I have learnt to bend  
There is no weapon you can send  
I will stay unbroken, unbroken again  
There'll come a day, your strength will end

## Take all she brings

Take all she brings  
all of her deep things  
keep you alive  
leave you tongue tied

She doesn't have time to watch the time go by  
She already knows that  
she doesn't have long to try  
If you could see through her eyes,  
wish you could see through her eyes

Through her eyes,  
there's no need for certainty  
through her eyes,  
your doubts don't mean anything  
embrace them, outrace them  
and still believe that you have wings  
take all she brings

Take all she brings  
misunderstandings  
unravel your faith  
leave you shaking

You spend a lifetime discovering nothing  
you know what your fears are  
but not how to still them  
If you could see through her eyes,  
wish you could see through her eyes

Through her eyes,  
there's no need for certainty  
through her eyes,  
your doubts don't mean anything  
embrace them, outrace them  
and still believe that you have wings  
take all she brings

Does she overwhelm you  
does she look right through you  
don't they say that we are what love makes us

Through her eyes,  
there's no need for certainty  
through her eyes,  
your doubts don't mean anything  
embrace them, outrace them  
take all she brings  
take all she brings  
take all she brings

cos she believes that you have wings

## Huma

Don't trap me under glass  
I've been tethered long enough  
rooted in your weighty plans  
no more,  
I come to glove

This house always floodlit  
assuage your fear of shadows  
and everything unseen  
that flits  
My dreams,  
did you never wonder

Where I steal out,  
into the hungry night  
seduced by petrichor  
In thrall to a lucent moon  
unmoored  
I launch into the starts  
A Huma  
beyond capture

## Now

Give me back that day on the sound  
chasing waves over endless sand  
first time, you took my hand,  
that would be the one

My Last hour, heavy months  
her heart, deep in me drum  
first cry like your own, that would be the one

Don't crave the accolades,  
they soon evaporate  
Now is all that signifies,  
the light of you in someone's eyes  
all your moments crystallised... now

Mirror seas, to infinity  
glaciers glittering,  
how blue can this blue be, that would be the one

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Now is all that signifies,  
the light of you in someone's eyes  
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Don't crave the accolades,  
they soon evaporate  
Now signifies  
the light of you in someone's eyes

It's this beat, this note,  
this pause, this breathe  
It's you, it's you, it's you, It's you... It's all

It's this touch, this flaw,  
this smile, this call  
It's you, it's you, it's you.... it's all

## Wayman

So, you don't look a day on  
my travelling man  
still got a wandering eye  
my travelling man

hitch up your kegs  
push out your chest  
spin me round the old bandstand

So, you don't look a day on  
my raggedy man  
still got a rascal sigh  
my raggedy man

make my knees bow  
lift to pogo  
fly me like we'd never land

Why come back here Wayman  
did the world let you down again  
can't console you, it costs too much  
and I'm not free  
best you keep roaming  
and leave me be?

Now I look much closer  
my rambling man  
albatross wings are thinning  
my floating man

your baroque song  
is sounding hollow  
sideways on you disappear

Why come back here Wayman  
did the world let you down again  
can't console you, it costs too much  
and I'm not free  
See, I need to be rooted  
where I can find truth dear  
here it is in our girl's eyes  
she's my prize

So long there Wayman  
wishing you well  
hope you find what you're seeking  
hope it's worth the long trail

## Armour of love

I wait for the day to begin  
a chance to belong  
to be someone strong  
and I wait for my name to be called

I could be anywhere  
Can you hear me?  
Under this dark sky  
Can you see me?

Lord as I ride the swell  
I know that I am held  
and I know that you cover me  
With an Armour of Love,  
With an Armour of love

I wait set me free from fear  
don't let me waste all my tears  
send friends to be with me  
and we'll wait 'til the storm is passed

I could be anywhere  
Can you hear me?  
Under this dark sky  
Can you see me?

Lord as I ride the swell  
I know that I am held  
And I know that you cover me  
With an Armour of love,  
Oh Lord as I ride the swell,  
I know that I am held  
And I feel you surround me  
With an Armour of Love  
With an Armour of love

Amour, Amore, Amour, Amore,  
Armour of Love, Armour of Love  
Amour, Amore, Amour, Amore  
Armour of Love, Armour of Love  
Your voice on the wind, oh it's telling me  
I am never alone, oh I am never alone

Lord as I ride the swell  
I know that I am held  
and I know that you cover me  
with an armour of Love  
Oh, Lord as I ride the swell,  
as I ride the swell  
I know that I am held, held  
and I feel you surround me  
with an Armour of Love  
with an Armour of Love

## Listen

What a mess we wade through,  
Counting every step  
How many breaths, to feel at rest  
Too busy, building nests  
How d'you learn to take a risk

Let the blue hour hold you,  
dazzle and blind you

Listen, deeper, longer,  
cherish every day on this road  
Climbing steeper longer  
Knowing that their love  
Keeps you whole

Here's a version  
of who you thought you'd be  
laugh at the thought you  
knew your destiny

let the blue hour hold you  
dazzle and blind you

Listen, deeper, longer,  
cherish every day on this road  
Tell them, your way, always  
Showing that their love  
Keeps you whole

One step, one step, one step more  
One step, one step, one step more

Listen, deeper, longer, cherish  
Listen, deeper, longer, cherish  
Every day on this road

## Born to be with you

When will I learn  
to stop returning  
this crime scene of yearning  
till calls  
then will I learn

If I had come  
just moments before  
I'd have missed  
you holding court  
when will I learn

One heart was not enough  
you need to own the world  
so I got to learn to let it go  
but Love, I was born to be with you  
Love, I was born to be with you

Thought I was home  
not just a haven  
to wait in  
'til it stopped raining

One heart was not enough  
you need to own the world  
so I got to learn to let it go  
but Love, I was born to be with you  
Love, I was born to be with you

There may come a time  
when those you left behind  
will stalk your dreams  
and leave you wondering

One heart, this heart, was not enough  
you need to own the world  
I lift it to the wind now  
learning to let it go now  
but darling I was born to be with you  
Love I was born to be with you

## **Fugue**

How to slip this net  
this nightly trap  
what will worry conjure  
from the drifting black

I have no anchor  
Let time do its work  
Let gravity release me  
Into stars

I'm not the centre  
of this dream river  
just a fugitive  
tilting to the dawn

Ahh, ahhh, ahhh  
release me  
into stars