

# Reality Used to Be a Friend of Mine

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Maybe 'Why?' is the question that's on you mind  
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Please don't ask me 'cause I don't know why  
But reality used to be a friend of mine I used to be friends with reality  
She used to be a pal real close to me  
But she tried to hide from me what was in store  
Tried to house me but a house has doors I was insane and the picture was crazy  
So the relevance here seems to be a bit hazy  
But I tried to explain this in the simplest terms  
She let the cross burn and it was my turn to say  
"The roses are red, and violets are blue  
And things are gonna stay that way, too"  
And I was the nut to believe all of this  
I figured life would just hand me bliss Now I have to worry about certain doom  
Or will I be here tomorrow afternoon?  
Now ask me about the future  
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I remember Sandy gave me a hand  
Now I'm known as the maniac man  
Looking and searching for a shred of proof  
Knowing any time this world could go poof Now what might happen without me knowin'  
That's why I find myself always tip-tip toeing  
She tried to let prophecy sneak up on me  
But I woke up, I told her "Yo step off me" What you want me to do? You want me to sweat  
blood  
And hang up on your strings like a marionette does?  
Go to the PM on the dock of the bay, sit  
You need a clue, go back to the basics She needs to learn her ABC's  
Her and I sail on different seas  
She sees different from what I sees  
Do you believe? Hells no Reality used to be a friend of mine  
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But reality used to be a friend of mine I lost touch with reality  
I keep it as far as I can from Prince Be  
I just didn't run with the way she flowed  
To where I just said "Yo, I gots to go" But my heart wasn't ill or mad at her  
I just chose to laugh at her  
And disregard everything she tells me  
Believe in her and she's happy and healthy What is real, a positive plane  
Reality and life are not the same  
As to her equivalence to what is real  
She doesn't appeal to how I feel Maybe I should try trans channeling her  
Prince, you're taking this trip to far  
Okay, fine, never mind  
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Please don't ask me 'cause I don't know why  
But reality used to be a friend of mine Oh reality  
Oh reality Chase the blues away  
Take your mind off reality and leave her alone  
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