Galileo

Indigo Girls

Galileo's head was on the block
The crime was looking up the truth
And as the bombshells of my daily fears explode
I try to trace them to my youthAnd then you had to bring up reincarnation
Over a couple of beers the other night
And now I'm serving time for mistakes
Made by another in another lifetimeHow long 'til my soul gets it right?
Can any human being ever reach that kind of light?
I call on the resting soul, of Galileo
King of night vision, king of insightAnd then I think about my fear of motion
Which I never could explain
Some other fool across the ocean years ago

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Must have crashed his little airplane
How long 'til my soul gets it right?
Could any human being ever reach that kind of light?
I call on the resting soul, of Galileo

King of night vision, king of insightI'm not making a joke,

You know me, I take everything so seriously If we wait for the time 'til all souls get it right

Then at least I know there'll be no nuclear annihilation

In my lifetime, I'm still not rightI offer thanks to those before me

That's all I've got to say

'Cause maybe you squandered big bucks in your lifetime Now i have to pay...

But then again it feels like some sort of inspiration To let the next life off the hook

But she'll say "look what I had to overcome from my last life I think I'll write a book!"

How long 'til my soul gets it right?

Can any human being ever reach the highest light?

Except for (the resting soul) Galileo, God rest his soul (of Galileo)

King of night vision, king of insight...How long...? (until my soul gets it right)

('Til we reach the highest light)

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('Til we reach the highest light)
How long...

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