

# The Beautiful Things We Miss

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She puts on her makeup  
And the last dress she remembers that turned his head  
That time he said, "You look beautiful"  
At six, the front door opens  
And he doesn't even notice  
Kisses her cheek  
"Baby, when do we eat  
I'm starving" Oh, the beautiful things we miss I don't wanna miss it  
I don't wanna look back someday and find  
Everything that really mattered  
Was right in front of me this whole time  
Open up my eyes, Lord  
Keep me in the moment just like this  
Before the beautiful things we love  
Become the beautiful things we miss  
She hides out in her headphones  
Texting on her cell phone  
Daddy's girl built a world behind her bedroom door  
While he was working hard and providing  
Bigger houses still get divided  
Just yesterday she was on his shoulders, but today she's older  
Why do we get older Oh, the beautiful things we miss I don't wanna miss it  
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We don't get to rewind  
There's no such thing as next time  
Help me remember, help me remember, we don't get this back  
They were right when they said don't blink  
It all goes faster than you think  
Lord, help me remember, help me remember  
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I don't want to miss it  
No, I don't want to miss it  
Open up my eyes, Lord  
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Become the beautiful things I miss

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