

# Take a Picture of This

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A long long time ago  
when we were young and pretty,  
we ruled the world, we stopped the time, we knew it all, we owned this city  
Running with the crowd, carefree and proud I heard somebody say Take a picture of this  
Take a picture of this The years went rushing by, in the twinkling of an eye, we rolled with the  
changes.

Our life we knew was gone,  
Our friends had all moved on, time rearranges.  
But on our wedding day, they all came back to say, congratulations  
Take a picture of this  
Take a picture of this Then we raised a family of our own,  
we were so happy baby  
But now those kids have grown and gone. I gave it everything I had, thru the good times and the  
bad

But now I'm down here on the floor, cause I don't know you anymore Yeah that's a suitcase;  
yeah that's a ticket for a plane

There's no one here to talk to, no reason to remain  
When you spend all your time living in the past  
With all those pictures that you took  
Here's one more for the book  
Take a picture of this, this is me leaving  
Take a picture of this, this is me walking away  
Take a picture of this  
Take a picture of this  
Take a picture of this

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