

# I Hope You Dance

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I hope you never lose your sense of wonder  
You get your fill to eat but always keep that hunger  
May you never take one single breath for granted  
God forbid love ever leave you empty handed  
I hope you still feel small when you stand beside the ocean  
Whenever one door closes I hope one more opens  
Promise me that you'll give faith a fighting chance  
And when you get the choice to sit it out or dance. I hope you dance... I hope you dance...  
I hope you never fear those mountains in the distance  
Never settle for the path of least resistance  
Livin' might mean takin' chances, but they're worth takin'  
Lovin' might be a mistake, but it's worth makin'  
Don't let some Hell bent heart leave you bitter  
When you come close to sellin' out reconsider  
Give the Heavens above more than just a passing glance  
And when you get the choice to sit it out or dance. I hope you dance... I hope you dance.  
I hope you dance... I hope you dance.  
(Time is a wheel in constant motion always rolling us along  
Tell me who wants to look back on their years  
and wonder where those years have gone.) I hope you still feel small when you stand beside the  
ocean  
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