

## West Melrose

### "The Astronomer"

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Look a little closer  
You like what you see?  
The world in color  
Ain't always so happy  
Picket signs by the  
Mom and Pop store on the highway  
Got me wonderin' if maybe it's just me

So I close my blinds one more time  
Pretend I'm half a world away  
But that world's not enough to us  
We've taken all that we're gonna take

Then again I'm just another singer from a midwest  
town  
Tryin' to find my style before they all burn out  
If the planets realign, then maybe we can find it tonight  
Past the distance where my eyes can see  
I'm holdin' on to the hope that something's waiting for  
me  
And if the planets realign, then maybe we can find it  
tonight

Breathe a little slower  
Take it all in  
Without you layin' next to me  
It's cold on your side of the bed.  
Roll over and I swear that I could feel you  
I miss your body, all 98 6 degrees.

So I close my eyes one more time  
Pretend that I am not awake  
Tomorrow I'm gonna get you back,  
I've taken all that I'm gonna take

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You know I doubt it  
And then again I doubt myself  
You know I doubt it  
And then again...  
You know I doubt it  
And then again I doubt myself  
You know I doubt it  
And then again, and then again

I'm just another singer from a midwest town  
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