

## Beth Orton "Magpie"

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Magpie, magpie, I stand here watching the world go by  
I wonder do you ever question why?  
I'm still here wondering what you know  
I've seen more everyday than I could dream  
I don't mind no what I tell you  
I don't mind no what I say  
I don't mind no what we're saying  
But it's a hard hard fight  
A hard, hard fight  
And I'm turning this one in,  
I'm turning this one in  
I won't turn back, I've seen the sign  
I won't turn back not for anyone  
I've seen the sign, and I know what is mine

Eh what a lie, what a lie, what a lie, what a lie looks like  
Eh what a lie, what a lie, what a lie, what a lie looks like

You didn't take I don't think you mean quite  
what you say  
I'm hoping you're the friend you claim to be  
Oh crow, crow, will you tell me please—  
Tell me please what you know  
You've seen more of the book than I could dream

I do not know what to tell you  
I do not know what to say  
I do not know what we're saying friend  
But it's a hard hard fight  
A hard, hard fight  
And I'm turning this one in,  
I'm turning this one in  
I won't turn back, I've seen the sign  
I won't turn back not for anyone  
I've seen the sign, and I know I have faith

Eh what a lie, what a lie, what a lie, what a lie looks like  
Eh what a lie, what a lie, what a lie, what a lie looks like  
Eh, eh yeah

Silence when I won't be here anymore  
Silence when I won't be here anymore

Silence when I won't be here anymore  
Silence when I won't be here anymore

what a lie, what a lie, what a lie  
what a lie, what a lie, what a lie  
what a lie, what a lie, what a lie  
what a lie, what a lie, what a lie  
what a lie, what a lie, what a lie

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