

## Genesis "Tell Me Why"

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Mothers cryin' in the street  
Children dyin' at their feet  
Tell me why, ooh, tell me why?  
People starvin' everywhere  
There's too much food  
But there's none to spare  
Tell me why, oh, tell me why?

Can you see that shaft of sunlight?  
Can you see it in my eyes?  
I can feel the fire that's burnin'  
Anger and hope so deep  
So deep within my heart  
But before my eyes  
Oh, for some it's too late  
'Cos it seems there's no one listenin'

People sleepin' in the streets  
No roof above, no food to eat  
Tell me why, tell me why?  
See the questions in their eyes  
Listen to their children's cries  
Tell me why, please tell me why?

If there's a God, is He watchin'?  
Can He give a ray of hope?  
So much pain and so much sorrow  
Tell me, what does he see  
When he looks at you  
When he looks at me?  
What would he say?  
'Cos it seems there's no one listenin'

Who would think it still could happen  
Even in this time and place?  
Politicians, they may save themselves  
Oh, but they won't save their face  
So hope against hope  
It's not too late

You say there's nothing you can do  
Is there one rule for them and one for you?

Tell me why, just tell me why?

Listen, can you see that shaft of sunlight?

Can you see it in my eyes?

I can feel the fire that's burnin'

Anger and hope so deep

So deep within my heart

But before my eyes

For some it's too late

And it seems there's no one listenin'

Hurry for me, hurry for me

And hurry for me, hurry for me, they cry, they cry

Hurry for me, hurry for me

And hurry for me, hurry for me, they cry, they cry

Hurry for me, hurry for me

And hurry for me, hurry for me, they cry, they cry

Just hurry for me, hurry for me

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