

## **Brett Dennen**

### **"I Asked When"**

Visit "[I Asked When](#)" on [MotoLyrics.com](http://MotoLyrics.com)

Well, I dreamed I went out wandering  
I heard promises become fables forgotten  
I saw bridges stretching out across the water  
And towers pushing taller

I knew my reality was clearly defined  
By the fences put up around my mind  
I watched them thicken into walls over time  
Taller than any borderline

I saw civilizations deemed insignificant  
I saw people's history tattooed upon their skin  
I saw families taken from their land  
Dynasty shattered and stolen

And I asked when is the revolution  
I asked when is the revolution

And all the burdens the centuries accrue  
That get passed along to every generations youth  
And all the allegories told in lewd truth  
I watched them grow wild and spread like a flu

I saw the rise of an untamed industry  
And I watched machines print a paper economy  
I saw my own self stand right in front of me  
And I didn't do a thing

I saw poisons pushed in the street  
And prescription pills mingling in the mezzanine  
With a whole wealth of doctors and pharmaceutical  
companies  
Still poor people were dying from disease

And I asked when is the revolution  
I asked when is the revolution  
I asked when is the revolution  
I asked when is the revolution

And I broke down at the break of dawn  
And saw looming in the clouds above the Pentagon  
As he re-lives the holocaust as strong as the parkin' on

Visions [Incomprehensible] Vietnam

And I stood silent upon the flooded levee  
Stared at the ruins of a merchant city  
And the president who came to dine with the noble, he  
He didn't do a thing

I saw three ships come sailing in  
Through the passage of the Caribbean  
I saw children coming home in coffins  
Millions marching on Washington

And I asked when is the revolution  
I asked when is the revolution  
I asked when, when is the revolution  
I asked when is the revolution

Visit [Brett Dennen](#) page on MotoLyrics.com, to get more lyrics and videos.

---

[MotoLyrics.com](#) | Lyrics, music videos, artist biographies, releases and more.