

## Indigo Girls "Our Deliverance"

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Now we can say  
That nothings lost  
And only change  
Brings round the prophecy  
Well now it's melting  
The solid frost  
Was once a veil on greener landscapes  
We would see  
Beneath my surface  
The waters heating  
The steam comes up and out the tears  
You see me shine  
For every strange and bitter moment  
There was never a better time

For every pleasure  
Exacts its pain  
How you hurt me  
How you were good to me  
Beneath my window  
A mournful train  
That makes me smile  
At my bad poetry  
But beneath my surface  
A song is rising  
And it may be simple  
Well it hides its true intent  
We may be looking for our deliverance  
But it has already been sent

It's in the nightfall  
When the light falls  
And what you've seen  
Isn't there anymore  
It's in our blind trust  
Love will find us  
Just like it has before

They're sending soldiers  
To distant places

X's and O's  
On someones drawing board  
Like green and plastic  
But with human faces  
And they want to tell you  
It's a merciful sword  
But with all the blood  
Newly dried in the desert  
Can we not fertilize the land with something else  
There is no nation  
By god exempted  
Lay down your weapons  
And love your neighbor as yourself

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