

# Jack Johnson

## "Never Know"

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I heard this old story before  
Where people keep appealing for the metaphors  
Don't leave much up to the imagination,  
So I wanna give this imagery back  
No, it just ain't so easy like that  
So, I turn the page and read the story again  
And again and again

It sure seems the same with a different name  
We're breaking and rebuilding  
And we're growing  
Always guessing

Never knowing  
Shocking but we're nothing  
We're just moments  
We're clever but we're clueless  
We're just human  
Amusing and confusing  
We're trying but where is this all leading  
We'll never know

It all happened so much faster than you could say  
disaster  
Wanna take a time lapse and look at it backwards  
From the last one  
And maybe that's just the answer that we're after

But after all  
We're just a bubble in a boiling pot  
Just one breath in a chain of thought  
The moments just combusting  
Feel certain but we'll never, never know

Sure seems the same  
Give it a different name  
We're begging and we're needing  
And we're trying and we're breathing

Never knowing  
Shocking but we're nothing  
We're just moments

We're clever but we're clueless  
We're just human  
Amusing and confusing  
We're helping, we're building and we're growing  
You never know

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Never know  
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Knock, knock on my door to door  
Tell ya that the metaphor is better than yours  
And you can either sink or swim  
Things are looking pretty grim

If you don't believe in what this one feeding  
It's got no feeling  
So I read it again and again and again

Sure seems the same  
Too many different names  
Our hearts are strong, our hands are weak  
We'll always be competing never knowing

Never knowing  
Shocking but we're nothing  
We're just moments  
We're clever but we're clueless  
We're just human  
Amusing, confusing  
But the truth is all we got is questions  
We'll never know

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