

## Roger Waters

### "Perfect Sense I-II"

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[HAL]: Stop Dave  
Will you stop Dave?  
Stop Dave  
I'm afraid  
I'm afraid  
Dave, my mind is going  
I can feel it  
I can feel it  
My mind is going  
There is no question about it  
I can feel it  
I can feel it  
I can feel it  
I'm afraid

The monkey sat on a pile of stone  
And he stared at the broken bone in his hand  
Strains of a Viennese quartet rang out across the land  
The monkey looked up at the stars  
And he thought to himself  
Memory is a stranger  
History is for fools  
And he cleaned his hands in a pool of holy writing  
Turned his back on the garden and set out for the nearest town  
Hold on hold on soldier

When you add it all up  
The tears and the marrowbone  
There's an ounce of gold  
And an ounce of pride in each ledger  
And the Germans kill the Jews  
And the Jews kill the Arabs  
And the Arabs kill the hostages  
And that is the news  
And is it any wonder that the monkey's confused

He said Mama Mama, the President's a fool  
Why do I have to keep reading these technical manuals  
And the joint chiefs of staff  
And the brokers on Wall Street said  
Don't make us laugh, you're a smart kid  
Time is linear  
Memory's a stranger  
History is for fools  
Man is a tool in the hands  
Of the great God Almighty  
And they gave him command of a nuclear submarine  
Sent him back in search of the Garden of Eden

Can't you see  
It all makes perfect sense  
Expressed in dollars and cents,  
Pounds, shillings and pence  
Can't you see  
It all makes perfect sense

Little black soul departs in perfect focus  
Hold on soldier  
Prime time fodder for the News at Nine  
Hold on, hold on soldier  
Darling is the child warm in the bed tonight

[Marv Albert:] "Hi everybody I'm Marv Albert  
And welcome to our telecast  
Coming to you live from Memorial Stadium  
It's a beautiful day  
And today we expect a sensational matchup  
But first our global anthem"

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[Marv:] "And here come the players  
As I speak to you now, the captain  
Has his cross hairs zeroed in on the oil rig  
He's at periscope depth

It looks to me like he's going to attack  
By the way did you know that a submarine  
Captain earns 200,000 dollars a year"  
[Edward:] "That's LESS tax Marv"  
[Marv:] "Yeah, LESS tax  
Thank you Edward"  
[Edward:] "You're welcome"  
[Marv:] "Now back to the game...he fires one...yes  
There goes two; both fish are running  
The rig is going into a prevent defense  
Will they make it? I don't think so"  
Look out!  
Look at that baby burn!

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