

## Darren Hayes

### "Slow Down"

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Even a vow that breaks  
Is a metaphor, nothing's for sure.  
Even a tooth that cracks  
Can bite you back.  
Even a heart is pure  
Is an invitation ripe for breaking.  
Even the ones who know,  
Don't know for sure.

But you better slow down.  
Can't you see your feet have left the ground?  
And I'm the world below.  
You better slow down.  
Every time you speak I hear the sound,  
But your lips are still.

Even a bond that breaks  
Is a talent teller,  
Heart can grow still.  
Even an atheist will swear to God.  
And all of this talk of love-  
You can say "«forever»" like "«whatever»".  
Even the ones you love  
Don't have to love you back.

But you better slow down.  
Can't you see your feet have left the ground?  
I'm the world below.  
You better slow down.  
Every time you speak I hear the sound,  
But your lips are still.

Take all my hope for you,  
Send it off alone.  
Yeah, make it take the night bus home.  
Making it share a seat,  
A seat alone.  
But the drunks in the bars,  
An old woman keeping score  
Of the time she felt defeated...  
Will the crowd please remain seated?

I let you go...

You better slow down.  
Can't you see your feet have left the ground?  
And I'm the world below.  
You better slow down.  
Every time you speak there is no sound,  
And it's deafening.

You better slow down.  
Can't you see your feet don't touch the ground?  
And there is a world below.  
You better slow down.  
And every time you speak there is no sound.  
It's killing me...  
And it's killing me.

'Cause it's deafening...  
There's a world belowâ€¦  
And it's out of reachâ€¦  
And it's much too far...  
When I hear you speak...  
Out of reach...  
And it deafens meâ€¦

'Cause it's deafeningâ€¦  
Yeah, it's deafening...  
And it's deafeningâ€¦  
Yeah, it's deafeningâ€¦

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