

## **Tori Amos**

# **"Last Day Of The Century"**

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when the cock crows  
and the wind blows  
and the primrose of dawn  
is at your windows  
moving through the deep  
you chase dreams across your sleep  
scarecrows, waiting at your door

in the last days of the century  
leaning from your balcony  
you said this is how it's meant to be  
can't you feel it in the air  
see that light come shining down  
all the way to chinatown  
see it come from miles around  
reflecting everywhere

you wore black clothes  
you quoted shakespeare  
you still make me shake  
when you get this near  
you look like a still from cecil b. demille  
when i saw you waiting at my door

in the last days of the century  
leaning from your balcony  
you say changes come so rapidly  
you can feel them in the air  
whoever you pretend to be  
you must face yourself eventually  
in the last days of the century  
who knows who we were

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