

## Devin Townshend

### "Bastard"

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[1] Not one of the better days  
Nighttime, turn around  
Lonely is the city tonight  
Nighttime, all around  
Lonely in the city tonight

Grey people stare at a static sky (as you will)  
Ours is not to question why

Same thing, every time  
It always seems to need what I'm not  
To all the hopeful ones:  
Nobody gives a fuck what you've got

I only wish that I could pray to god  
(but you will)  
Stay longer  
Please don't leave me alone

Bastard, mother, father, no...  
Time passed quicker than you will ever know  
And they can push me harder  
But you know I'll never go  
And they will justify it, but you know  
It will take them slow

[2] The girl from blue city  
The lights from across the harbour  
And the boys are out on the corners  
Sex in the neon basements (red and smelly)  
And don't feel a thing (it's too cold to worry)  
So in the corner by the dock  
Where there's no light  
It smells like piss but no one knows  
And right now just to sleep would be alright

...Feel old, gone where the feelings go  
...Gone now in a field of green  
Gone where feelings go...

