

## NINETEEN 27

### "Tell Me A Story"

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In the cruel of dawn, so young and battleworn  
No time for games, they're makin' their way in the  
urba-an sprawl  
They're not lookin' for love, just a little understa-andin'  
That's all there can be

Tell me a story, take me to another land  
This world we were born in, is one I'll never understand

In the counting house, the kings are counting out  
The rich take it a-all, giving alms to the poor for some  
third wor-orld war  
They're not countin' on love, they just count their mo-  
oney  
Like no-one goes hu-ungry

Tell me a story, take me to another land  
This world we were born in, is one I'll never understand  
So won't you tell me a secret, take me to a better place  
Where white flags are flyin', there'll be an anthem for  
the human race

What about mea-eaning? - one world  
What about rea-eason? - one hope  
What about free-eedom? Oh won't you tell me a story

In the dead of night, too many people cry  
Hand over hand, they're makin' their stand for what  
they know i-is right  
They're not lookin' for love, they just want their free-  
eedom  
And you just can't stand by, closing your eyes  
When all of your futures are lyin' in there blee-eedin'

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Oh won't you tell me a secret, take me to a better place  
Where the white flags are flyin', there'll be an anthem  
for the human race

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What about free-eedom? Oh won't you tell me a story

One world - what about love?  
Our time - what about rea-eason  
One hope - what about free-eedom?

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