

## PAINFUL REMINDERS

Beauty doesn't fade so gracefully  
When you aren't allotted your full share  
And with time, it goes by so mercilessly  
It's hard to tell it's ever there

Now cut to the beauty parading away  
Hungry boys following close behind  
And see our woman avoiding obviously  
Can't you just tell what she has on her mind

Cause just outside of your reach  
But never too far from your view  
Is everything you wanted to be  
A painful reminder to you?  
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When all your dreams are left fallow  
It leaves a hole you just can't fill  
The remains of "should of and could of done"  
All the diversions in the world can't still

Now cut to our woman crossing the park  
She notices a child by her side  
"Whose are you, my dear little one?  
And where did you get those deep blue eyes."

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It's been said better, times before  
Indeed, the heart's a lonely hunter  
But when does it all begin to end  
I know these things you must often wonder

And life is cheap when times are hard  
And there ain't no joy here to justify  
But, please carry on, my solitaire heart  
Though I can't begin to tell you why

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