

Time Will Crawl
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[Intro]

Am F Am G

Time will crawl

[Verse 1]

Am F

I ve never sailed on a sea

Am D

I would not challenge a giant

Am F

I could not take on the church

Am

Time will crawl

D

Til the 21st century lose

Am F

I know a government man

Am G

He was as blind as the moon, and he's

Am F

He saw the sun in the night

Am G

He took a top-gun pilot and he's

Am F

He made him fly through a hole

Am G

Til he grew real old, and he's

Am F

And he never came down

Am D

He just flew till he burst

[Chorus 1]

Am

Time will crawl

F

Til our mouths run dry

Am

Time will crawl

G

Til our feet grow small

Am

Time will crawl

F

Til our tails fall off

Am

Time will crawl

G

Til the 21st century lose

[Verse 2]

Am **F**
I saw a black, black stream
Am **G**
Full of white eyed fish
Am **F**
And a drowning man
Am **G**
With no eyes at all
Am **F**
I felt a warm, warm breeze
Am **G**
That melted metal and steel
Am **F**
I got a bad migraine
Am **G**
That lasted three long years
Am **F**
And the pills that I took
Am **D**
Made my fingers disappear

[Chorus 2]

Am
Time will crawl
F
Time will crawl
G
Time will crawl
Am
Til the 21st century lose
D
(Go!)

[Interlude]

Am
Time will crawl
G
Am
F
Time will crawl

[Verse 3]

Am **F**
You were a talented child
Am **G**
You came to live in our town
Am **F**
We never bothered to scream
Am **G**

When your mask went off

Am **F**

We only smelt the gas

Am **D**

As we lay down to sleep

Time

[Chorus 1]

Am

Time will crawl

F

And our heads bowed down

Am

Time will crawl

G

And our eyes fall out

Am

Time will crawl

F

And the streets run red

Am

Time will crawl

G

Til the 21st century lose

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[Outro]

Am

Time will crawl

G

For the crazy child

Am

Time will crawl

D

We ll give every life

Am

Til the 21st century lose

G

For the crackpot notion