

**This Is The Time Ballast
Nothing More**

[Intro]

Am

Am

FM7 Am

C Bb

[Verse]

Am

Am

When did we become these sinking stones

F/A

C

Bb

When did we build this broken home

Am

Holding each other like ransom notes

F/A

C

Bb

Dropping our hearts to grip our brother s throats

[Bridge]

Am

You can t see cause you don t know,

C

G

You re caught below, beneath your own sha--dow

G

Stuck inside half-alive, do we

Em

Ever stop to ask ourselves why

Am

Close your mind, identify

C

G

Do you feel, do you feel? Do you call this a life?

G

All you waited for

Em

Drowning just to keep score

[Pre-Chorus]

F

We always start with good intentions

G

But lose ourselves along the way

[Chorus]

Am

G

This is the time that we let it go

Em

F

And these are the words that will take us home

Am

G

Singing the song that s inside us all

Em **F**
If we don't open our eyes we're

[Link]

Am

[Verse]

Am
Anchored in anger, we exile ourselves

F/A **C** **Bb**
Bitter blood builds our prison cell

Am
Darker water now fills our lungs

F/A **C** **Bb**
The depths of our heart have blacked the sun

[Bridge]

Am
You can't see cause you don't know,

C **G**
You're caught below, beneath your own shadow

G
Stuck inside half-alive, do we

Em
Ever stop to ask ourselves why

Am
Close your mind, identify

C **G**
Do you feel, do you feel? Do you call this a life?

G
All you waited for

Em
Drowning just to keep score

[Pre-Chorus]

F
We always start with good intentions

G
But lose ourselves along the way

[Chorus]

Am **G**
This is the time that we let it go

Em **F**
And these are the words that will take us home

Am **G**
Singing the song that's inside us all

Em **F**
If we don't open our eyes we're

Am
Walking blind

[Instrumental]

Am Asus2 Asus4 Am Am7 Fsus2/A Gsus2

(Just a loose interpretation)

F G Em7 F

F G G/E G G

[Link]

Am

[Chorus]

Am G

This is the time that we let it go

Em F

And these are the words that will take us home

Am G

Singing the song that s inside us all

Em F

If we just open our eyes (If we just open our eyes)

Am G

This is the time that we let it go

Em F

And this is the pain we are forced to know

Am G

Singing the song that s inside,

Em F

Inside us all, inside us all

[Outro]

Am Am/E

Am FM7

Am Am/E C Gsus4

We re walking blind

Am Am/E

Am FM7

Am Am/E C Gsus4