

The First Person On Earth

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(intro) B A E A B E

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From the water

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From the rock and the dirt, you were

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The first person on earth

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Oh the mountains

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And the oceans witnessed your birth

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The first person on earth

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By a river, on the banks of a sandy shore

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Untouched, clean, fresh and pure

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The first person on earth

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In the light of the sun you emerged

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To see the good in the world before the pain and the scourge

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The first person on earth

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In the quiet, in the calm, before the storm

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You heard the dream for a love that never dies in a poem

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And I m in love with you, I m in love with a dream

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E

That can not be realized, held or seen

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By the last person on earth

B

After the earthquakes, the hurricanes, the fires and floods

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E

I m jaded, cynical, angry and glum

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The world s too absurd and obscene for true love

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And more than happy to let me become

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The last person on earth

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To let me stand on a rock, the muddy waters surround

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E

Abandoned, alone, the end soon to come

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As the last person on earth

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As the waters rise at the end of the world

A

E

Thought I bear the weight of the rock and the dirt

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I know I m worthy of your love

A

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