Blank Stares

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Ok—I just was wondering what you
were doing. and I wanna. um.I wanted
To say happy. um.--There's a voicemail that I keep
I listen to it, just to hear you speak
"Hey Son." turns to silence just like that
You know I love you walking by
Like you saw the phone in your hand and you didn't know why
It's crazy how you come and go so fast
Oh how do I get you back
If I could only seal the cracks you're slipping through
Wish I didn't feel so helpless when it comes to helping you

Hold on

To every little memory made of you and me Every little glimpse of who you used to be

So I keep holding on

I know you're still in there

Deep down somewhere I swear I still see you
Between the blank staresIt's the first thing that I think about
When I wake up and when I lay down

It's the last thing I feel crawling through my mind
I'm still trying to understand it
Sitting next to you holding your hand
And hoping you won't fade away this time

Just stay a little while

Please stay a little while

If I can only seal the cracks you're slipping through Wish I didn't feel so helpless when it comes to helping you

Hold on

So I keep holding on

To every little memory made of you and me Every little glimpse of who you used to be

I know you're still in there

Deep down somewhere I swear I still see you

Between the blank staresIt's getting harder and harder

To watch you disappear

Oh if only farther leaving me in tearsWish I didn't feel so helpless when it comes to helping you

Hold on

So I keep holding on

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I know you're still in there

Deep down somewhere I swear I still see you

I still see you Between the blank stares Between the blank stares

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