



folklore

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"the 1"

I'm doing good, I'm on some new shit
Been saying "yes" instead of "no"
I thought I saw you at the bus stop, I
didn't though

I hit the ground running each night
I hit the Sunday matinée
You know the greatest films of all time
were never made

I guess you never know, never know
And if you wanted me, you really
should've showed
And if you never bleed, you're never
gonna grow
And it's alright now

But we were something, don't you think
so?
Roaring 20s, tossing pennies in the pool
And if my wishes came true
It would've been you
In my defense, I have none
For never leaving well enough alone
But it would've been fun
If you would've been the one
(Ooh)

I have this dream you're doing cool shit
Having adventures on your own
You meet some woman on the internet
and take her home

We never painted by the numbers, baby
But we were making it count
You know the greatest loves of all time
are over now

I guess you never know, never know
And it's another day waking up alone

But we were something, don't you think
so?

Roaring 20s, tossing pennies in the pool
And if my wishes came true
It would've been you
In my defense, I have none
For never leaving well enough alone
But it would've been fun
If you would've been the one

I, I, I persist and resist the temptation to
ask you
If one thing had been different
Would everything be different today?

We were something, don't you think so?
Rosé flowing with your chosen family
And it would've been sweet
If it could've been me
In my defense, I have none
For digging up the grave another time
But it would've been fun
If you would've been the one
(Ooh)

Compositores: Taylor Swift, Aaron Dessner

"cardigan"

Vintage tee, brand new phone
High heels on cobblestones
When you are young, they assume you
know nothing
Sequin smile, black lipstick
Sensual politics
When you are young, they assume you
know nothing
But I knew you
Dancin' in your Levi's
Drunk under a streetlight, I
I knew you
Hand under my sweatshirt
Baby, kiss it better, I
And when I felt like I was an old cardigan
Under someone's bed
You put me on and said I was your
favorite
A friend to all is a friend to none
Chase two girls, lose the one
When you are young, they assume you
know nothin'
But I knew you
Playing hide-and-seek and
Giving me your weekends, I
I knew you
Your heartbeat on the High Line
Once in 20 lifetimes, I
And when I felt like I was an old cardigan
Under someone's bed
You put me on and said I was your
favorite
To kiss in cars and downtown bars
Was all we needed

You drew stars around my scars
But now I'm bleedin'
'Cause I knew you
Steppin' on the last train
Marked me like a bloodstain, I
I knew you
Tried to change the ending
Peter losing Wendy, I
I knew you
Leavin' like a father
Running like water, I
And when you are young, they assume
you know nothing
But I knew you'd linger like a tattoo kiss
I knew you'd haunt all of my what-ifs
The smell of smoke would hang around
this long
'Cause I knew everything when I was
young
I knew I'd curse you for the longest time
Chasin' shadows in the grocery line
I knew you'd miss me once the thrill
expired
And you'd be standin' in my front porch
light
And I knew you'd come back to me
You'd come back to me
And you'd come back to me
And you'd come back
And when I felt like I was an old cardigan
Under someone's bed
You put me on and said I was your
favorite

Compositores: Taylor Swift, Aaron Dessner

“the last great american dynasty”

Rebekah rode up on the afternoon train
It was sunny
Her saltbox house on the coast
Took her mind off St. Louis
Bill was the heir to the Standard Oil name
and money
And the town said, "How did a middle-
class divorcée do it?"

The wedding was charming, if a little
gauche
There's only so far new money goes
They picked out a home and called it
"Holiday House"
Their parties were tasteful, if a little loud
The doctor had told him to settle down
It must have been her fault his heart gave
out

And they said
"There goes the last great American
dynasty"
"Who knows if she never showed up, what
could've been"
"There goes the maddest woman this
town has ever seen"
"She had a marvelous time ruinin'
everything"

Rebekah gave up on the Rhode Island set,
forever
Flew in all her Bitch Pack friends from the
city
Filled the pool with champagne and swam
with the big names

And blew through the money on the boys
and the ballet
And losin' on card game bets with Dalí
And they said
"There goes the last great American
dynasty"
"Who knows if she never showed up, what
could've been"
"There goes the most shameless woman
this town has ever seen"
"She had a marvelous time ruinin'
everything"

They say she was seen on occasion
Pacing the rocks, staring out at the
midnight sea
And in a feud with her neighbor
She stole his dog and dyed it key lime
green
50 years is a long time
Holiday House sat quietly on that beach
Free of women with madness, their men
and bad habits
And then it was bought by me

Who knows if I never showed up what
could've been
There goes the loudest woman this town
has ever seen
I had a marvelous time ruinin' everything
I had a marvelous time ruinin' everything
A marvelous time ruinin' everything
A marvelous time
I had a marvelous time

Compositores: Taylor Swift, Aaron Dessner

"exile" (feat. Bon Iver)

I can see you standing, honey
With his arms around your body
Laughin', but the joke's not funny at all

And it took you five whole minutes
To pack us up and leave me with it
Holdin' all this love out here in the hall

I think I've seen this film before
And I didn't like the ending
You're not my homeland anymore
So what am I defending now?
You were my town
Now I'm in exile, seein' you out
I think I've seen this film before

I can see you starin', honey
Like he's just your understudy
Like you'd get your knuckles bloody for
me

Second, third, and hundredth chances
Balancin' on breaking branches
Those eyes add insult to injury

I think I've seen this film before
And I didn't like the ending
I'm not your problem anymore
So who am I offending now?
You were my crown
Now I'm in exile, seein' you out
I think I've seen this film before
So I'm leavin' out the side door

So step right out, there is no amount
Of crying I can do for you
All this time
We always walked a very thin line

You didn't even hear me out
You never gave a warning sign

All this time
I never learned to read your mind
I couldn't turn things around
'Cause you never gave a warning sign
So many signs, so many signs
You didn't even see the signs

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And I didn't like the ending
You're not my homeland anymore
So what am I defending now?
You were my town

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You never gave a warning sign

Compositores: Justin Vernon, Taylor Swift, William Bowery

“my tears ricochet”

We gather here, we line up
Weepin' in a sunlit room, and
If I'm on fire, you'll be made of ashes too
Even on my worst day, did I deserve, babe
All the hell you gave me?
'Cause I loved you, I swear I loved you
'Til my dying day

I didn't have it in myself to go with grace
And you're the hero flying around, saving
face
And if I'm dead to you, why are you at the
wake?
Cursing my name, wishing I stayed
Look at how my tears ricochet

We gather stones, never knowing what
they'll mean
Some to throw, some to make a diamond
ring
You know I didn't want to have to haunt
you
But what a ghostly scene
You wear the same jewels that I gave you
As you bury me

I didn't have it in myself to go with grace
'Cause when I'd fight, you used to tell me
I was brave

And if I'm dead to you, why are you at the
wake?

Cursing my name, wishing I stayed
Look at how my tears ricochet

And I can go anywhere I want
Anywhere I want, just not home
And you can aim for my heart, go for
blood

But you would still miss me in your bones
And I still talk to you (when I'm screaming
at the sky)
And when you can't sleep at night (you
hear my stolen lullabies)

I didn't have it in myself to go with grace
And so the battleships will sink beneath
the waves
You had to kill me, but it killed you just
the same
Cursing my name, wishing I stayed
You turned into your worst fears

And you're tossing out blame, drunk on
this pain
Crossing out the good years
And you're cursing my name, wishing I
stayed
Look at how my tears ricochet

“mirrorball”

I want you to know
I'm a mirrorball
I'll show you every version of yourself
tonight
I'll get you out on the floor
Shimmering beautiful
And when I break it's in a million pieces

Hush
When no one is around, my dear
You'll find me on my tallest tiptoes
Spinning in my highest heels, love
Shining just for you
Hush
I know they said the end is near
But I'm still on my tallest tiptoes
Spinning in my highest heels, love
Shining just for you

I want you to know
I'm a mirrorball
I can change everything about me to fit in
You are not like the regulars
The masquerade revelers
Drunk as they watch my shattered edges
glisten
Hush
When no one is around, my dear

You'll find me on my tallest tiptoes
Spinning in my highest heels, love
Shining just for you
Hush
I know they said the end is near
But I'm still on my tallest tiptoes
Spinning in my highest heels, love
Shining just for you
And they called off the circus
Burned the disco down
When they sent home the horses
And the rodeo clowns
I'm still on that tightrope
I'm still trying everything to get you
laughing at me
I'm still a believer but I don't know why
I've never been a natural
All I do is try, try, try
I'm still on that trapeze
I'm still trying everything
To keep you looking at me
Because I'm a mirrorball
I'm a mirrorball
I'll show you every version of yourself
Tonight

Compositores: Taylor Swift, Jack Antonoff

“seven”

Please picture me
In the trees
I hit my peak at seven feet
In the swing
Over the creek
I was too scared to jump in
But I, I was high in the sky
With Pennsylvania under me
Are there still beautiful things?

Sweet tea in the summer
Cross your heart, won't tell no other
And though I can't recall your face
I still got love for you
Your braids like a pattern
Love you to the moon and to Saturn
Passed down like folk songs
The love lasts so long

And I've been meaning to tell you
I think your house is haunted
Your dad is always mad and that must be

why
And I think you should come live with
Me and we can be pirates
Then you won't have to cry
Or hide in the closet
And just like a folk song
Our love will be passed on

Please picture me
In the weeds
Before I learned civility
I used to scream ferociously
Any time I wanted

Sweet tea in the summer
Cross my heart, won't tell no other
And though I can't recall your face
I still got love for you
Pack your dolls and a sweater
We'll move to India forever
Passed down like folk songs
Our love lasts so long

Compositores: Taylor Swift, Aaron Dessner

“august”

Salt air, and the rust on your door
I never needed anything more
Whispers of "Are you sure?"
"Never have I ever before"

But I can see us lost in the memory
August slipped away into a moment in
time
'Cause it was never mine
And I can see us twisted in bedsheets
August sipped away like a bottle of wine
'Cause you were never mine

Your back beneath the sun
Wishin' I could write my name on it
Will you call when you're back at school?
I remember thinkin' I had you

But I can see us lost in the memory
August slipped away into a moment in
time
'Cause it was never mine
And I can see us twisted in bedsheets
August sipped away like a bottle of wine
'Cause you were never mine

Back when we were still changin' for the
better
Wanting was enough
For me, it was enough
To live for the hope of it all
Cancel plans just in case you'd call

And say, "Meet me behind the mall"
So much for summer love and saying "us"
'Cause you weren't mine to lose
You weren't mine to lose, no

But I can see us lost in the memory
August slipped away into a moment in
time
'Cause it was never mine
And I can see us twisted in bedsheets
August sipped away like a bottle of wine
'Cause you were never mine
'Cause you were never mine, never mine

But do you remember?
Remember when I pulled up and said,
"Get in the car"
And then canceled my plans just in case
you'd call?
Back when I was livin' for the hope of it
all, for the hope of it all
"Meet me behind the mall"

Remember when I pulled up and said,
"Get in the car"
And then canceled my plans just in case
you'd call?
Back when I was livin' for the hope of it all
For the hope of it all
For the hope of it all

Compositores: Taylor Swift, Jack Antonoff

“this is me trying”

I've been having a hard time adjusting
I had the shiniest wheels, now they're
rusting
I didn't know if you'd care if I came back
I have a lot of regrets about that
Pulled the car off the road to the lookout
Could've followed my fears all the way
down
And maybe I don't quite know what to say
But I'm here in your doorway

I just wanted you to know
That this is me trying
I just wanted you to know
That this is me trying

They told me all of my cages were mental
So I got wasted like all my potential
And my words shoot to kill when I'm mad
I have a lot of regrets about that
I was so ahead of the curve, the curve
became a sphere
Fell behind on my classmates, and I
ended up here

Pouring out my heart to a stranger
But I didn't pour the whiskey

I just wanted you to know
That this is me trying
I just wanted you to know
That this is me trying
At least I'm trying

And it's hard to be at a party when I feel
like an open wound
It's hard to be anywhere these days when
all I want is you
You're a flashback in a film reel on the
one screen in my town

And I just wanted you to know
That this is me trying
(And maybe I don't quite know what to
say)
I just wanted you to know
That this is me trying
At least I'm trying

Compositores: Taylor Swift, Jack Antonoff

“illicit affairs”

Make sure nobody sees you leave
Hood over your head, keep your eyes
down

Tell your friends you're out for a run
You'll be flushed when you return
Take the road less traveled by
Tell yourself you can always stop
What started in beautiful rooms
Ends with meetings in parking lots

And that's the thing about illicit affairs
And clandestine meetings and longing
stares
It's born from just one single glance
But it dies, and it dies, and it dies
A million little times

Leave the perfume on the shelf
That you picked out just for him
So you leave no trace behind
Like you don't even exist
Take the words for what they are
A dwindling, mercurial high
A drug that only worked
The first few hundred times

And that's the thing about illicit affairs
And clandestine meetings and stolen
stares

They show their truth one single time
But they lie, and they lie, and they lie
A million little times

And you wanna scream
Don't call me "kid"
Don't call me "baby"
Look at this godforsaken mess that you
made me
You showed me colors
You know I can't see with anyone else

Don't call me "kid"
Don't call me "baby"
Look at this idiotic fool that you made me
You taught me a secret language
I can't speak with anyone else

And you know damn well
For you, I would ruin myself
A million little times

Compositores: Taylor Swift, Jack Antonoff

“invisible string”

Green was the color of the grass
Where I used to read at Centennial Park
I used to think I would meet somebody
there
Teal was the color of your shirt when you
were 16 at the yogurt shop
You used to work at to make a little
money

Time, curious time
Gave me no compasses, gave me no signs
Were there clues I didn't see?
And isn't it just so pretty to think
All along there was some
Invisible string
Tying you to me?
Ooh-ooh-ooh-ooh-ooh

Bad was the blood of the song in the cab
on your first trip to L.A.
You ate at my favorite spot for dinner
Bold was the waitress on our three-year
trip
Getting lunch down by the Lakes
She said I looked like an American singer

Time, mystical time
Cutting me open, then healing me fine
Were there clues I didn't see?
And isn't it just so pretty to think
All along there was some

Invisible string
Tying you to me?
Ooh-ooh-ooh-ooh-ooh

A string that pulled me
Out of all the wrong arms right into that
dive bar
Something wrapped all of my past
mistakes in barbed wire
Chains around my demons
Wool to brave the seasons
One single thread of gold tied me to you

Cold was the steel of my axe to grind
For the boys who broke my heart
Now I send their babies presents

Gold was the color of the leaves
When I showed you around Centennial
Park
Hell was the journey, but it brought me
heaven

Time, wondrous time
Gave me the blues and then purple-pink
skies
And it's cool, baby, with me
And isn't it just so pretty to think
All along there was some
Invisible string
Tying you to me?

Compositores: Taylor Swift, Aaron Dessner

“mad woman”

What did you think I'd say to that?
Does a scorpion sting when fighting
back?
They strike to kill, and you know I will
You know I will

What do you sing on your drive home?
Do you see my face in the neighbor's
lawn?
Does she smile?
Or does she mouth, "Fuck you forever"?

Every time you call me crazy, I get more
crazy
What about that?
And when you say I seem angry, I get
more angry

And there's nothing like a mad woman
What a shame she went mad
No one likes a mad woman
You made her like that
And you'll poke that bear 'til her claws
come out
And you find something to wrap your
noose around
And there's nothing like a mad woman

Now I breathe flames each time I talk
My cannons all firin' at your yacht
They say, "Move on", but you know I won't
And women like hunting witches too
Doing your dirtiest work for you

It's obvious that wanting me dead has
really brought you two together

Every time you call me crazy, I get more
crazy
What about that?
And when you say I seem angry, I get
more angry

And there's nothing like a mad woman
What a shame she went mad
No one likes a mad woman
You made her like that
And you'll poke that bear 'til her claws
come out
And you find something to wrap your
noose around
And there's nothing like a mad woman

I'm taking my time, taking my time
'Cause you took everything from me
Watching you climb, watching you climb
Over people like me
The master of spin has a couple side
flings
Good wives always know
She should be mad, should be scathing
like me, but

No one likes a mad woman
What a shame she went mad
You made her like that

Compositores: Taylor Swift, Aaron Dessner

“epiphany”

Keep your helmet, keep your life, son
Just a flesh wound, here's your rifle

Crawling up the beaches now
"Sir, I think he's bleeding out"

And some things you just can't speak
about

With you, I serve

With you, I fall down, down

Watch you breathe in

Watch you breathing out, out

Something med school did not cover
Someone's daughter, someone's mother
Holds your hand through plastic now
"Doc, I think she's crashing out"
And some things you just can't speak
about

Only 20 minutes to sleep

But you dream of some epiphany

Just one single glimpse of relief

To make some sense of what you've seen

With you, I serve

With you, I fall down, down (down)

Watch you breathe in

Watch you breathing out, out

With you, I serve

With you, I fall down (down), down
(down)

Watch you breathe in

Watch you breathing out (out), out

Only 20 minutes to sleep

But you dream of some epiphany

Just one single glimpse of relief

To make some sense of what you've seen

Compositores: Aaron Dessner, Taylor Swift

“betty”

Betty, I won't make assumptions
About why you switched your homeroom
I think it's cause of me
Betty, one time, I was riding on my
skateboard
When I passed your house
It's like I couldn't breathe

You heard the rumors from Inez
You can't believe a word she says
Most times, but this time it was true
The worst thing that I ever did
Was what I did to you

But if I just showed up at your party
Would you have me?
Would you want me?
Would you tell me to go fuck myself?
Or lead me to the garden?
In the garden would you trust me
If I told you it was just a summer thing?
I'm only 17, I don't know anything
But I know I miss you

Betty, I know where it all went wrong
Your favorite song was playing
From the far side of the gym
I was nowhere to be found
I hate the crowds, you know that
Plus, I saw you dance with him

You heard the rumors from Inez
You can't believe a word she says
Most times, but this time it was true
The worst thing that I ever did
Was what I did to you

But if I just showed up at your party
Would you have me?
Would you want me?

Would you tell me to go fuck myself?
Or lead me to the garden?
In the garden would you trust me
If I told you it was just a summer thing?
I'm only seventeen, I don't know anything
But I know I miss you

I was walking home on broken
cobblestones
Just thinking of you when she pulled up
A figment of my worst intentions
She said "James, get in, let's drive"
Those days turned into nights
Slept next to her, but
I dreamt of you all summer long

Betty, I'm here on your doorstep
And I planned it out for weeks now
But it's finally sinkin' in
Betty, right now is the last time
I can dream about what happens when
You see my face again

The only thing I wanna do
Is make it up to you
So I showed up at your party
Will you have me?
Will you love me?
Will you kiss me on the porch
In front of all your stupid friends?
If you kiss me, will it be just like I
dreamed it?
Will it patch your broken wings?
I'm only 17, I don't know anything
But I know I miss you

Standing in your cardigan
Kissin' in my car again
Stopped at a streetlight
You know I miss you

Compositores: Taylor Swift, William Bowery

“peace”

Our coming-of-age has come and gone
Suddenly the summer, it's clear
I never had the courage of my convictions
As long as danger is near
And it's just around the corner, darling
'Cause it lives in me
No, I could never give you peace

But I'm a fire, and I'll keep your brittle
heart warm
If your cascade ocean wave blues come
All these people think love's for show
But I would die for you in secret
The devil's in the details, but you got a
friend in me
Would it be enough if I could never give
you peace?

Your integrity makes me seem small
You paint dreamscapes on the wall
I talk shit with my friends
It's like I'm wasting your honor

And you know that I'd swing with you for
the fences
Sit with you in the trenches
Give you my wild, give you a child

Give you the silence that only comes
when two people understand each other
Family that I chose, now that I see your
brother as my brother
Is it enough?

But there's robbers to the east, clowns to
the west
I'd give you my sunshine, give you my best
But the rain is always gonna come if
you're standing with me

But I'm a fire, and I'll keep your brittle
heart warm
If your cascade ocean wave blues come
All these people think love's for show
But I would die for you in secret
The devil's in the details, but you got a
friend in me
Would it be enough if I could never give
you peace?

Would it be enough if I could never give
you peace?

Would it be enough if I could never give
you peace?

Compositores: Taylor Swift, Aaron Dessner

“hoax”

My only one
My smoking gun
My eclipsed sun
This has broken me down

My twisted knife
My sleepless night
My winless fight
This has frozen my ground

Stood on the cliffside screaming, "Give
me a reason"
Your faithless love's the only hoax I
believe in
Don't want no other shade of blue but you
No other sadness in the world would do

My best laid plan
Your sleight of hand
My barren land
I am ash from your fire

Stood on the cliffside screaming, "Give
me a reason"
Your faithless love's the only hoax I
believe in
Don't want no other shade of blue but you
No other sadness in the world would do

You know I left a part of me back in New
York

You knew the hero died, so what's the
movie for?

You knew it still hurts underneath my
scars from when they pulled me apart

You knew the password, so I let you in the
door

You knew you won, so what's the point of
keeping score?

You knew it still hurts underneath my
scars from when they pulled me apart
But what you did was just as dark

(Ah, ah, ah)

Darling, this was just as hard
As when they pulled me apart

My only one
My kingdom come undone
My broken drum
You have beaten my heart
Don't want no other shade of blue but you
No other sadness in the world would do

“the lakes”

Is it romantic how all my elegies eulogize
me?
I'm not cut out for all these cynical clones
These hunters with cell phones

Take me to the lakes where all the poets
went to die
I don't belong, and my beloved, neither do
you
Those Windermere peaks look like a
perfect place to cry
I'm setting off, but not without my muse

What should be over burrowed under my
skin
In heart-stopping waves of hurt
I've come too far to watch some
namedropping sleaze
Tell me what are my words worth

Take me to the lakes where all the poets
went to die
I don't belong, and my beloved, neither do
you

Those Windermere peaks look like a
perfect place to cry
I'm setting off, but not without my muse

I want auroras and sad prose
I want to watch wisteria grow right over
my bare feet
'Cause I haven't moved in years
And I want you right here
A red rose grew up out of ice frozen
ground
With no one around to tweet it
While I bathe in cliffside pools
With my calamitous love and
insurmountable grief

Take me to the lakes where all the poets
went to die
I don't belong, and my beloved, neither do
you
Those Windermere peaks look like a
perfect place to cry
I'm setting off, but not without my muse
No, not without you

Compositores: Jack Antonoff, Taylor Swift