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CRAZY TIMES

[Written, performed & produced by Pim Nieuwlands 2023]

Where is everyone?

Where are the real friends?

Where is the fun?

Everyone is going mad, since we lost what we once had.

We are drawn to all the screens, while the streets are dead and clean.

Virtual love is on its way, it seems like madness is here to stay.

These are crazy times full of silly crimes.

As if we'd lost our mind, the good is hard to find.

Another asshole with a gun; all of those headlines make me want to run.

We are losing our minds; say goodbye to mankind.

We got lost in all the screens, while the streets are dead and clean.

Virtual love is on its way, it seems like madness is here to stay.

These are crazy times full of silly crimes.

As if we'd lost our mind, the good is hard to find.

WRONG DIRECTION

[Written, performed & produced by Pim Nieuwlands 2023]

If you really could go back in time, would you do all things that you once did again?

Would you cry for love, die for friends, and fight the bad, or would you stand back and cover from the rain?

It looks like no one's ever learned from the past, as if memories disappear or never last.

Mankind doesn't change, although we could look back and stop repeating failures of the past.

This is the wrong direction.

We're going blind.

This is the wrong direction.

We're going blind.

Are we finally losing track of time? Instead of falling we should climb.

Everyone is woke(n) but no one is aware, that our life gets fake by all the lies we share.

Can anyone explain why we go back in time, why everyone is dreaming about the past?

Stupid things might happen, but it's still a crime to kick the world back in time.

I WILL BE THERE FOR YOU

[Written, performed & produced by Pim Nieuwlands 2023]

All those years that you are by my side, every day, that we
argued, that we tried,
feels like we are doing right.

I will be there for you, whatever we're going through.
I will be there for you, whatever we're going through.

Time flies by, but memories never die.
Some are nice, and others we deny. To me, it's quite alright.
Along the way, we survived all the ups and downs.
All those years, we decided for new grounds.
I'd say we are doing good. Doing good 'cause

I will be there for you, whatever we're going through.
I will be there for you, whatever we're going through.
I will be there, I will be there for you.
I will be there . . . going through.
I will be there for you, whatever we're going through.

DIFFERENT WORLD

[Written, performed & produced by Pim Nieuwlands 2023]

I feel like a stranger; far away without friends.
In a world full of danger, because no one can understand

that we might get close, but we're living in a different world.
We might get close, but we're living in a different world.

Although we are equal, it still ain't always the same.
Some people got lucky and some are punished by name.

We might get close, but we're living in a different world.
We might get close, but still we're in a different world.
We might get close, but still we're in a different world.
We might get close, we might get close...



ROSES

[Written, performed & produced by Pim Nieuwlands 2023]

It feels like walking' in the sky, talking to the moon;

My memories will never die.

As if you'd still be there to care 'bout tears of despair.

I watch the sky and see you shine through the darkest night,
hoping that you're fine.

I wish you'd still be there to care about tears of despair.

Clouds look like roses rising up in the air.

I'm sending you roses for love and for all your care.

Someplace far away from here, I'm sure that you're fine,
connected to that heart of mine.

It's been a while, but I still say: I'm thankful for each day.

Clouds look like roses rising up in the air.

I'm sending you roses for love and for all your care.

Clouds look like roses rising up in the air.

I'm sending you roses for love and for all your care.

DOWN

[Written, performed & produced by Pim Nieuwlands 2023]

The days seem to slow down and stick to a pace of their own
like each move doesn't move, the sun won't show up after dawn.
Where has all the power and where has all the energy gone?
If you leave me, you take away every breath that I own.

Please don't leave me, just believe me that I would drown.
Please don't leave me, just believe me that I'd go down.
Down!

Everyone's frozen; there's nothing to see nor to hear.
Each time that I miss you, a second feels like a whole year.
Where has all the power and where has all the energy gone?
The air feels like water, I can't move my feet off the ground.

Please don't leave me, just believe me that I would drown.
Please don't leave me, just believe me that I'd go down.
Down!

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WE CAN MAKE IT

[Written, performed & produced by Pim Nieuwlands 2023]

It feels as if we're standing still, like we're afraid to cross the hill.
It's getting higher day by day.
Where is the future? What is the right way?

We can make it, if we take it slow. We can make it, I know.
We can make it, if we take it slow. We can make it, I know.

All we achieved looks like a descent.
Instead of being ahead, we're closer to the end.
We reach for the stars, put man on the moon.
But there's no future, if we don't wake up soon.
(still...)

We can make it, if we take it slow. We can make it, I know.
We can make it, if we take it slow. We can make it, I know.
Don't be lazy, lazy...

WHY

[Written, performed & produced by Pim Nieuwlands 2023]

It looks as if we're out of time and out of words to save the play.
All lovely moments disappeared, simply passed away.
Now all the dos and don'ts have been gone for good.
We did our best, but in the end it didn't work out as it should.

Why can't you see we're disconnecting, as if we're only acting?
Why can't you see how we grow apart, empty heart.

Now (that) we finally realize that that was it, last chance to hear.
We should have listened to ourselves, to the thoughts we didn't
want to hear.

Why can't you see we're disconnecting, as if we're only acting?
Why can't you see how we grow apart, empty heart.

HANG UP

[Written, performed & produced by Pim Nieuwlands 2023]

You're the reason I'm addicted to my phone; don't call me!
Despite the time we talk, we still are on our own; release me.
It feels like loving the beautiful unreal; don't you tease me.
But we're so far away, too far from ideal.
Believe me, believe me

Hang up! Don't let the distance grow.
Wake up! It's time to cut the call.

I'm tired of watching you smiling on my phone; don't call me.
It's just like you ain't real, talking on my screen, believe me.
I'm longing for your touch; I need to feel your skin; please tease
me.
Let's get real and feel the heat; just meet, meet me.
(Please tease me)

Hang up! Don't let the distance grow.
Wake up! It's time to cut the call.

FIREMAN

[Written, performed & produced by Pim Nieuwlands 2023]

The time has been running since the first time we met.
The fire's still on, despite the fights that we had.
Slow down, keep it burning.

I want to be your fireman; I'll keep you safe the best I can.
Let me be your fireman, and I'll keep you warm the best I can.

Some take it easy, and others still rush.
They party out loud instead of loving and hush.
Slow down, keep it burning.

I want to be your fireman; I'll keep you safe the best I can.
I want to be your fireman and keep you warm the best I can.



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