

Kiss Me Hello

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Our youngest hearts, so wild and free,
Scampered cross Heaven in gilded feet
Playing catch with the sun, hide and seek,
Hide and seek with angels
The patchwork quilt of Earth beneath
Was a giant hopscotch our young legs couldn't reach
So we used rainbows as jump ropes,
And pretended we were heroes in home-made stories
Oh, but I lost you somewhere down the line
I keep on unravelling all these trappings Ive gathered over time
Kiss me hello- I'm home
Did you miss me while I was gone?
Kiss me hello- I've grown,
But I still long for the comfort of your arms
The rose and almond skies turned grey
As we traded in our toys and games
we promised each other that we'd meet again
Somewhere where childhood never ends
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