Rebellion Is A Lullaby (to the boy inside)

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Did you miss?
Did it pass you by?
Raise me up!
Raise me up:
Revolution.

I dream it in childhood:
A simple thing.
Inside me
Like fathers with eyes that sting.

A child A cradle A mother sings A hero A story An opening

Raise me! Raise me! Raise me! Raise me! Raise me up!

All the hopes
Can I let them down?
All the stars I have counted
What is their sum?
All the lives: Accumulation
Within me, what am I waiting for?
Within me, what am I waiting for?
What am I waiting for?
What... are we waiting for?

Pull it down from the mountain.
Read it off the parchment clean.
Reflected there in the blood in the streets.
How many times must it repeat?
Repeat?
Repeat?

All the changing... Did it pass you by? Raise me up! Raise me up! Freedom come alive Freedom come alive Freedom come alive

Freedom is a dream Freedom is a dance Freedom is a song Freedom is a chance

In the outlaw love of a Mother Beyond every law of the cradle Rebellion is a lullaby To the boy inside The boy inside Beyond every law of the Father Is the tearing off of the label For the boy inside to realize The boy inside The boy inside...

Raise me up! Raise me up!

Don't miss the changes. The change is you The change is me

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