**SOUND OF URCHIN - THE DIAMOND - OFFICIAL LYRICS**

**police helicopters over brooklyn**

some dogs will drink from the fountain

follow up the mountain

look at you and pout

start spoutin shit

i think i need to savor

do myself a favor

and clean up my face so i can fit

i woke up this morning

with a touch of warning

i should heed the call

get down to it

i got my life a head of me

this is much to early

summer's in the air

and it's hotter than it's ever been

i made it down the street to first and thirteenth

and met my ride who helps me think

i got a lot of fears and they got a lot of mine

if i make it through the night i'm gonna be fine

east side, west side, and north and south

when i get to the river i'm cleaning it out

cause it's hotter than its ever been

so i made it back to the safe of my home

didn't want to be alone

but i knew i had no choice in it

now i'm lookin out my window

and their flying really low

trying hard to make some sense of it

am i really dreaming

am i really freaking

lost my way of speaking through all this

i gotta find a reason to make it through this season

summer's in the air

and it's hotter than it's ever been

when i get to the river

**the jack-o-lantern**

peasants open up your presents

cannot keep your parents waiting up all night

run your errands

lessons, study up your lessons

cannot keep on guessing your entire life

entire life

the jack-o-lantern's sitting in my window

watching all the leaves blow

all across the patio

the children underneath the stairs

i don't know if they're really there

or if i ever want to know the same

it's all the just the same

on a better day

the potion's dosage isn't potent

i still hear the rodents scratching through my wall

it's the ocean

sea shells, pennies in the deep well

can you see the church bells in your crystal ball

your crystal ball

well the clock is turning, the candle's burning all night

and the shudders shatter and it doesn't matter

the time has come

we've got no time and i'm in the mood tonight

to get out now and know somehow that it's just begun

and do you live, then do you have the right

to do what you want to get what you need

to make it back alright

**there are people in the clouds**

saturday's for swimming, ice cream and car keys

must be the transmission so we're not gonna go today

let's walk to the park and maybe rent a row boat

and eat some cheese-its - you're fucked up. go.

there are people in the clouds

friday night's for living, let's go to the movies

broken leg and limpin so we're not gonna go today

let's sit and watch the tv and play with the spiders

come on and burn - fuck it, rock.

what ya gotta know, this is what ya gotta know

the thing about knowing - knowing, knowing, know

wanna get to know? this is how to know

then i tell ya no. yes. no.

monday's for school, crayons and cookies

mom says i got symptoms so i'm not gonna go today

game shows offer promise, i'm gonna spin the big wheel

maybe lights will flash - there they go, there they go!!

**bomb me**

bomb me baby, got to push it to the fray

got me taken with the ssss-shake

got me shakin' with the words i never say

ice is breakin' whatcha mmmm-make

you got one for nothing

two for running

and three for something that i don't even know about

bomb me

growin' colder

gettin' lower

lawn mower

run me over

i can't take another day

you got me shakin' don't know what to say

don't say it, just start it

blow it all away ya gotta give it to me

just run home, run home

**dracula bite**

fresh off the vine

babies pumping out wine

drink some more you'll feel fine

can you taste the divine?

burnt to a crisp

bottle rocket in fist

sparks fly out of your wrist

can you believe the bliss of this?

friends rolling all together

hand holding through the weather

can you believe the love?

sparklers light up the summer night sky

and the welling inside

makes you joyfully cry

old pirate's cove

palm trees sway in the flow

hurricane twister throw

can you handle the row home?

so, give me a blast of life

let dracula take the bite

it won't hurt you anymore

it can't hurt you anymore

your free as a bird inside

you'll fly with the turning tide

and nothing, nothing's worth less the ride

heat from the flame

makes you close to insane

can you handle the pain?

or do you feel inhumane?

so pick off the tree

something sweeter to eat

take a bite and you'll see

you can trust everything

can you believe the love?

**white dove**

hey, don't snoop around

white dove don't snoop around town

don't let me down now

don't do it now

white dove don't snoop around town

you'll let me down

this is what i got to say

don't look at me that way

i need my rest to be at my best

'cause tomorrow's gonna be a long one

and maybe the sun will rise

and we'll be alive

to breathe some more fire

you fucking liar

**blown away**

you've come here for my breakfast

you've come here for my toast

you used to bring the sugar now the lump is in your throat

and what is so damn pressing

and what is so damn wrote

i think i got the answer and i think i gotta go

my instincts look out way beyond the seas

and i don't listen, that's why i'm coming clean

and i don't hear, but i'm trying everything

and i can't sleep, but i can dream

the world is glowing and everyone is showing it now

but i don't know and i don't care

cause i still see you everywhere

my mind is blown away far from you now

you've come here for some focus

you've come here for the show

what once was entertaining now looks just like a joke

and what's with all the talking

is this how you can cope

with the same old same old every day throw

watch for the lesson deep in your confession

i know you remember the live's you've been messing

**howling at the moon**

winds cry, wailing, walls i’ve been scaling, can’t back to settle down

searching, wearing, my arms are tearing me back to older ground

and all my ghosts are calling

and all their hosts are stalling me

it’s gone too long

gone too long to get it there

midnight, bearing, moonlight is staring the past to come back now

i’m not caring, i’m only raring to pack it in the ground

cause all that’s taught has fallen

and all that’s thought is all in me

angels praying, morning is raising, we’ve made it through somehow

and that is what’s important

and that is what is calling me

**sometimes**

got up from my fall and wiped up my mind

this time

i tried

at least i'm trying

but the other things

they get to me

and i fall back down

sometimes

there's a bright white light

in the sky

it's all mine

i feel the wind blow through my head

it soothes

then moves

on to another

and i'm wondering

when will it get to me again

**the door**

forever fine, going by life

starting mine, nothing's wrong

freeing space, understand

we're in place, everyone's at home

the door, we all need more

the sky opened up last night

i cried

tears of happiness

and i think i felt myself untie

things that i tied up inside

see what you know, what you long for

what you have, nothing's wrong with wanting more

all too hard to call my own

covered up so tightly sewn

now i see what i have known

bringing peace, bringing me home

**last december**

last december, i found my way to the center

feeling brave, i felt my way through the dark cave

i met a bad man clutching on to a trash can

picking through scraps

taking some bites then puttin em back

i know, i know, i know that this must sound crazy

but when i got to the bottom, everything looked just a little less hazy to me

just so you know, that's just the way that things go

last december, i hoped to find something better

i combed the streets, looking for something better to eat

i met a bad man pushing crap at a newstand

offering ways

making up plans and taking up days

so i hopped on to a bus

the bus, the bus was filling up

i hoped with all my luck it would be the one i want so much

so just drop me off right here, i'd rather walk the extra block

don't worry, have no fear

i know my ways, i got my bearings

**the diamond**

look at all the forces, find out what they do

find out what they like and where they're running to

no rock n' roll is playing on the radio

the devil's on a mission and i wanna know

miami, miami, miami

whatcha gonna do

miami, miami, miami

where i'm running to

hibiscus plants jigglin in the summer wind

200 years older than i've ever been

the cho is getting lumpy in the sweating sun

your techno mdma buzz is now over and done

rise,

the teacher