

Lightning Suite

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I.

Like a flash of lightning now
One that brightens the night
I feel its power
Barely under control
I hear its thunder
That rattles me down to my bones
And sparks the love in my soul.

II.

Maybe I've felt this way before
But that doesn't mean that I'll know what to do
'Cause the lessons I need don't come easily
And the word that I'll write won't do justice to you
Well, love, you know I'm trying
To reach the higher ground
The thunder's crashing
And the lightning keeps spinning my senses around and around.

Maybe I've seen your face before
Shown me in dreams like some flash in the night
And I've awakened with my heart pounding
But I'm in darkness again, it seems I lost you in flight
Well, love, you're so elusive
You just keep leading me on
It's inconclusive, except for the fact that like lightning
You're here, then you're gone.

III.

Well, I believe in my lifetime
I've a strong chance to love
Many people say just one chance
But I don't think that they know what they're thinking of
Though somewhat awkward at romance
I'm a romantic at heart
Until I find you, love, by chance
That's a fine a place as any to start.

IV.

We await our chances in the open fields
And keep our watchful eyes skyward
Making silent deals
Praying that love, like lightning
Is just seconds away
Until the thunder crashes, causing words
To scatter and stray

V.

Some get so burned by love that they hide
Hide themselves away

And paint tragic portraits in black and bitter grey
And torment themselves with their mem'ries at night
It really comes as no surprise
They're oh so cautious behind those dark, steely eyes.

VI.

These initial stages make me feel so young
Like a child inside
It's just infatuation, nothing more
But my interpretation just might change with time
And here's the bottom line
You've got to open up your heart
Before you really know for sure.