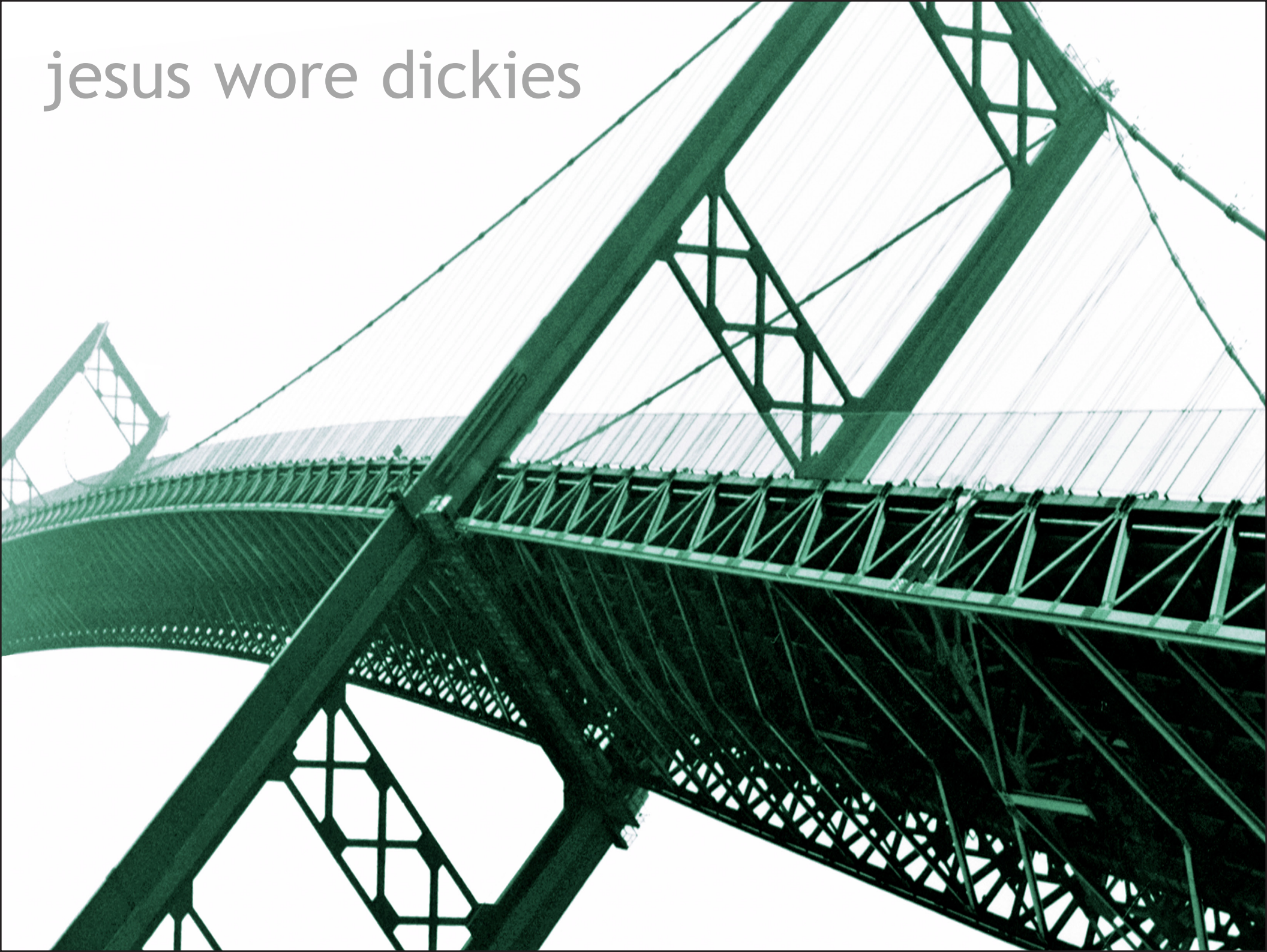
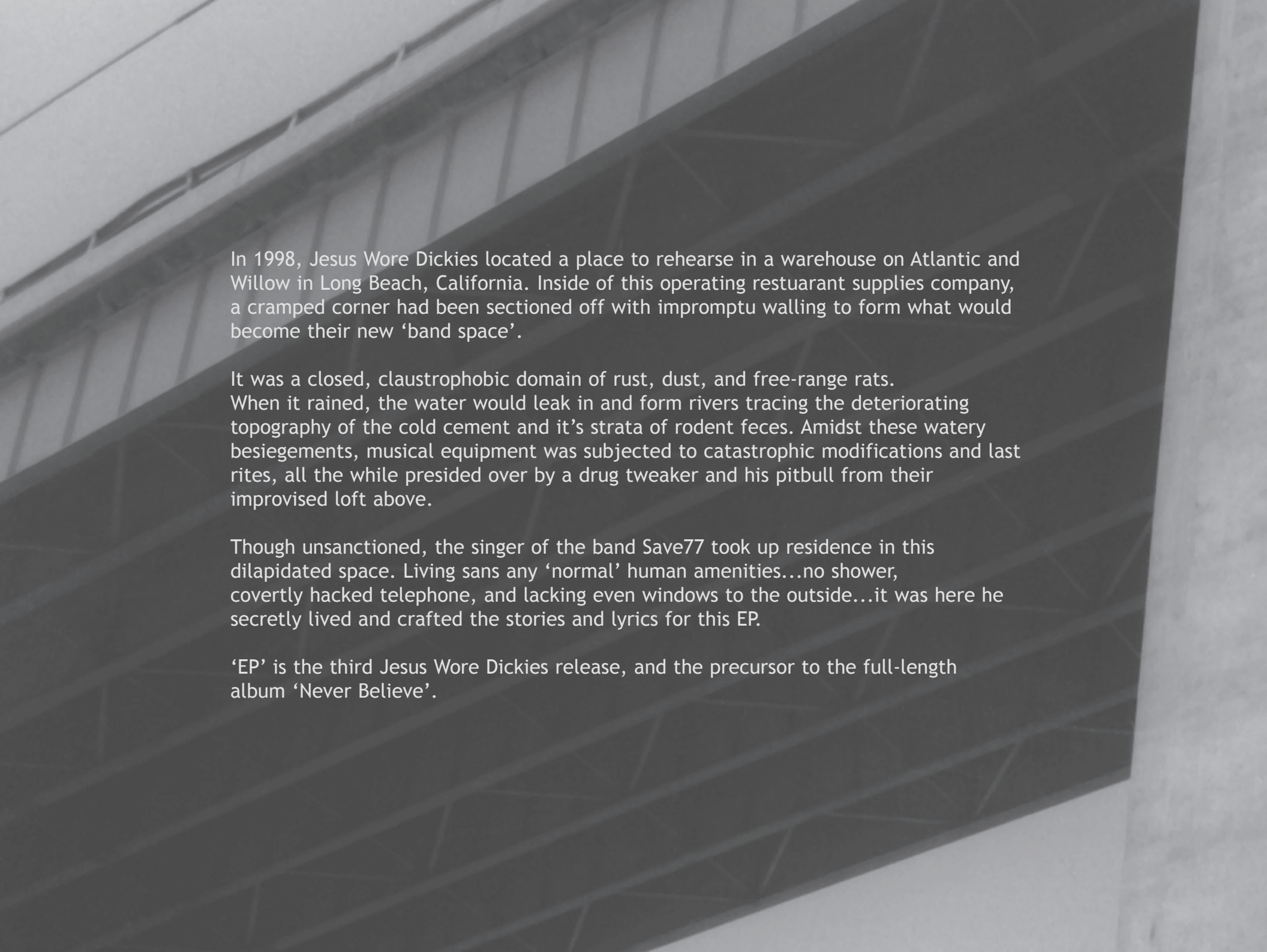


jesus wore dickies







In 1998, Jesus Wore Dickies located a place to rehearse in a warehouse on Atlantic and Willow in Long Beach, California. Inside of this operating restaurant supplies company, a cramped corner had been sectioned off with impromptu walling to form what would become their new 'band space'.

It was a closed, claustrophobic domain of rust, dust, and free-range rats. When it rained, the water would leak in and form rivers tracing the deteriorating topography of the cold cement and its strata of rodent feces. Amidst these watery besiegements, musical equipment was subjected to catastrophic modifications and last rites, all the while presided over by a drug tweaker and his pitbull from their improvised loft above.

Though unsanctioned, the singer of the band Save77 took up residence in this dilapidated space. Living sans any 'normal' human amenities...no shower, covertly hacked telephone, and lacking even windows to the outside...it was here he secretly lived and crafted the stories and lyrics for this EP.

'EP' is the third Jesus Wore Dickies release, and the precursor to the full-length album 'Never Believe'.



### I Forgot

Forgot what I was, I was sayin · Broke the whole thing, now I'm payin · I forgot what I was, I was drinkin · What I forgot I can't remember · Who am I? · What's my name? Save's my name, spell S1v5 · Forgot what I was, I was askin · In my mind I hear them laughin · Digital elf is in my head · I'm just tryin to figure you out · Lost myself for unmoment · I'm just tryin to figure you · I'm just tryin to figure you out · I forgot I was, I was sleepin · Think about you while I'm dreaming · I forgot I'm odd, now I'm even Take the pain that I am feelin · I don't know what it is · Computer scissors tape paper clip · I forgot your heart, now it's bleedin · I just found you, now you're leavin I forgot that I was, I was writing · Close my eyes think that I'm typin · I forgot that I was · I was drinkin · What I forgot I can't remember · You and I, we are one · It's our music that deals in the fourth dimension · I forgot who is live, S1v5 · Remember tomorrow is yesterday · Forgot what I will say · Forgot what I will do · Forgot that I'm happy · Forgot that I hate you

### Tickin

Cause I'm tickin · Lightin candles in this cold dark room · Walk cement floor grab your words and · Broken glass that's dull from age · Hold your breath I have to breathe and See a paper layin on the floor · Reach down and out there is more and · Try to read blow off the dust · What is says you read to us say · "Everybody's tripping on the same thing" · "Everybody's tripping on the same scene" · See a house in the distance · Walk this path so we can get in · Rain is strong, wind is cold · Think this house is not a home but · First we go to the waterfront · Make a left right at the scrap yard · Walk this road to the rooster · Sign on fence reads in red letters · House is cold, windows broken · I try to hide but walls are gone and · Get in from the rain but no roof · Shut the door it's all I can do · Down the stairs looking for shelter · Find the corner and uncover The writing is on the wall · Light the candle you read to us all



### **Bass Rips**

Takin bass rips from the machine · I'm trickin data straight flippin the scene  
And I'm gonna crash my ship I'm gonna break free · Gotta hover mother shippin on a  
trip team · Takin bass rips from the machine · Then I found everything · Gonna fly my  
ship I'm gonna break free · I was stuck in my dream · Straight slicing it up · Dicing it up  
Gonna break the scene · Flippin machines takin rips so clean · It's time to go I gotta flip  
another chino pack · Straight flippin all the chicken on the trino · Tryin to get the data  
but the data wont run · Zap you with my super plaz bass rippin gun · Because I'm tryin  
to break the data but the data won't crack · I spy back pack maniac · S1v5 v1s S1v5 v1s  
I am 44 you are 33 · Together we are CMC me · Ridin the bus down to downtown · Grab  
my pills now we all fall down · His name's Doze D O Z E · 77 go to heaven CMC me  
Grab my flashlight and I look to it · Now I think that I am takin rips

### **Everything Alright?**

Is everything alright? · Ride the bus downtown · Were I work all night · And if  
you come by · I will be alright · For the radio this is · This is radio waves to  
program with · And are ya asking me, do I here this? · I want to know, do you hear  
radio in space? · Ride the bus downtown · Where I drink all night · And if you come by  
I will be alright · Even though you had to go · I don't wish that ya left like I had said  
I know the sun sets next to me again · So now you go climb to the top up in the wind  
My stop's up I walk and see · Alleys, highways, bridges burning · Pavement far as I  
can see · Feel ya standin next to me · Words can kill and so they will · So many stars  
in the sky · Ride the bus were we'll meet again · When you come it will be alright  
Is everything alright? · It will be alright · Is everything alright? · No I'm not  
Ride the bus downtown · Were I play all night · And if you come by · I will be alright

### **All Our Lives**

(Voice mail from Wink Musselman) Mr. Roth it's Mr. Wink, it's 9:30 in the morning and I haven't gone to bed. So call me up like way later cause I probably wont be awake until about three. My life is in shambles Andy, bye. · All our lives now · All these things here We're here for such a short time · Watch every step · Only time knows · Da da da da Whats the sky need? · Angels cry, sing! · "We're here for such a short time" · Watch every step · Numbers add on · Scissors cut me · Scars want to heal · We're here for such a short time · Watch every step · Every soul leaves · (Ras 1 singing the melody from Antfarms on voice mail): Andy you love me, cause Ras 1 loves you, Late.

### **Elephant Song**

I do not know what the problem is · It comes and goes like an elephant · The first time that I saw your face · You were up against the door · I wish I was your answer now So that I'd become your door · Dysfunction all along with me · Takes up too much memory · I thought to much to have to say · That you just take my breath away As soon as you left my house · You're walkin to my friends · Told him all your secrets You lied to me again · We know what's between us · So why do we pretend · You have to make more secrets · To keep up with demand · All those times I washed away · Things I wish I didn't say · Ask myself "how is my mind" Answer back and say "just fine" · The last time that I saw your face · You were sitting in your chair · I wish I was your answer now · So that I'd become your chair · I saw you today · When you left you threw it all away · I did not know you bled so easy



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4\_everything alright?  
5\_all our lives\*\*  
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